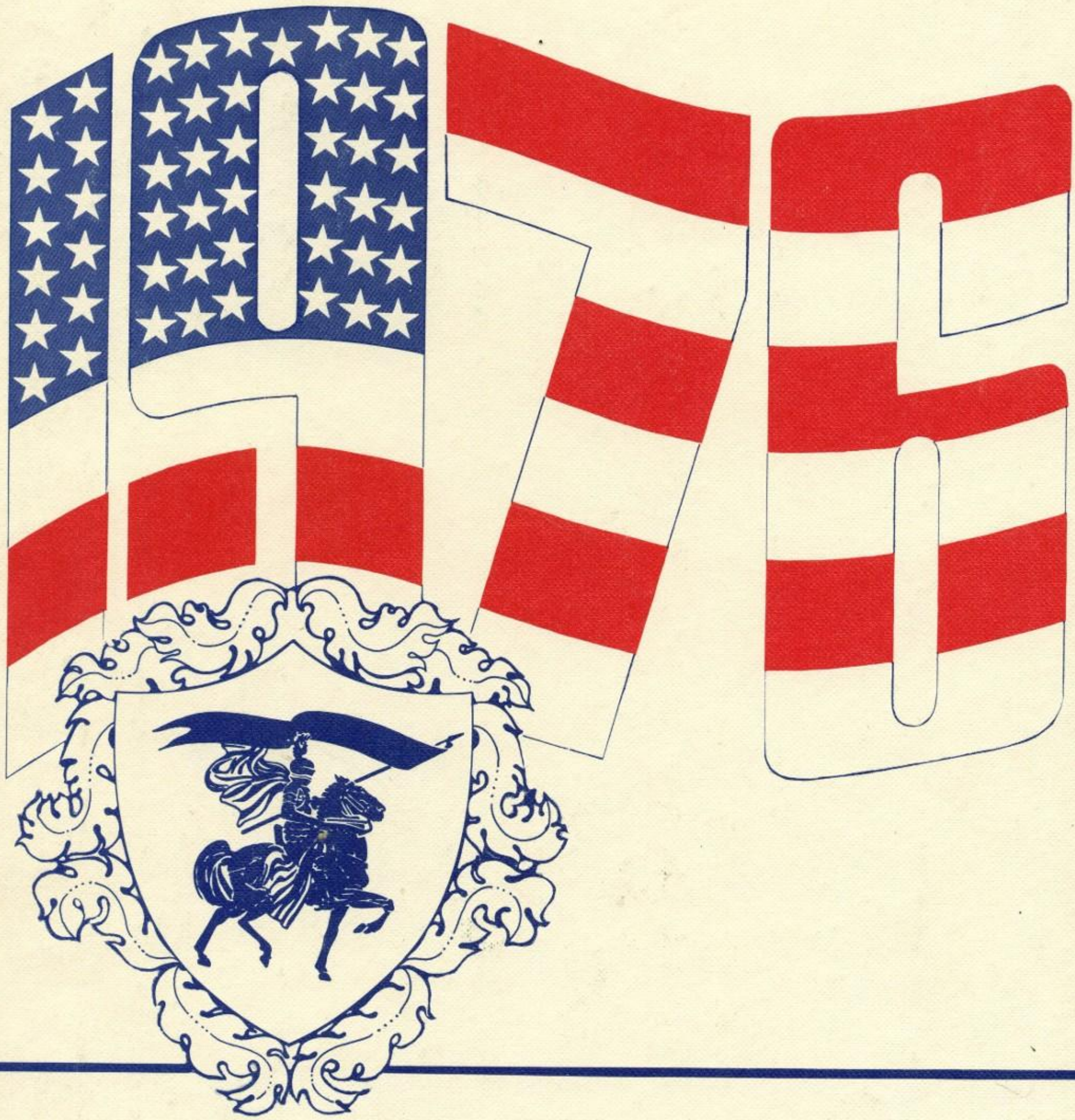

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## South Holt High School

Oregon, Missouri

On the road that leads
to experience, I'm trying
to find my own way. I feel
like an individual who is
walking alone . . .

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But as I open my heart
and search deeper, I realize
that I am only one among many
who are striving
Together!

Life is like walking through snow, every step shows; this is one of the most important steps we will ever take.

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# School Board 1976-77

JIM LUCE
President

LYLE DERR

DEAN HALL
Vice-President

VERDA KURTZ

WAYNE KURTZ

JAY BUCKLES

South Holt's Board of Education is comprised of six members, with two members being elected annually for terms of three years. This year Wayne Kurtz and Verda Kurtz were elected. Retiring members were John Eiser and Albert Kreek.

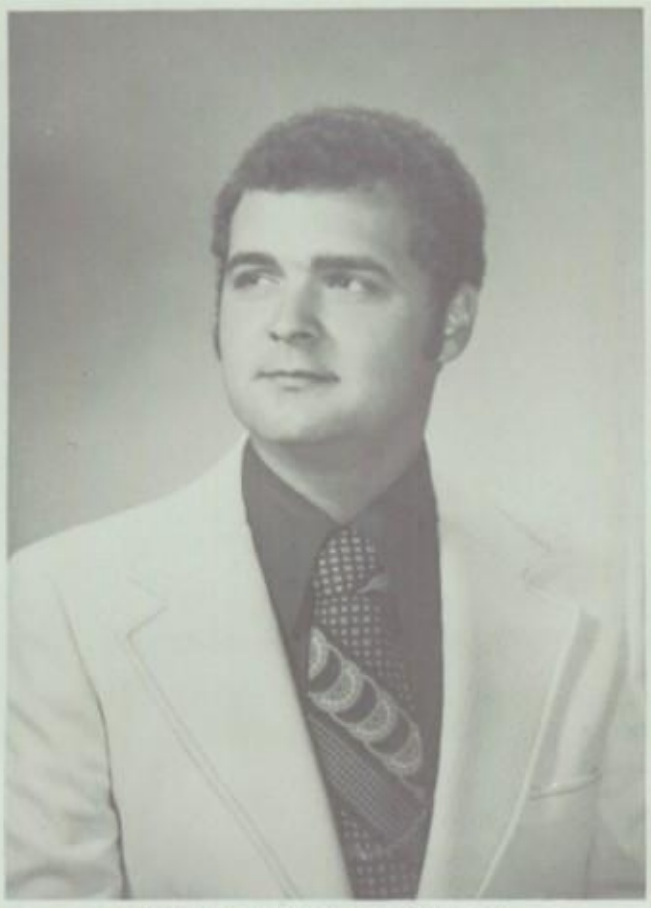
At the monthly meetings, the members, working in close coordination with Superintendent Gordon Sunderland, deliberate appropriations, review teaching contracts, and decide on changes in curriculum. Two members of the baord are chosen each year to hand out diplomas at the graduation ceremony. Verda Kurtz and Jay Buckels preformed this task.

Not Shown; ERLE COOPER
Treasurer

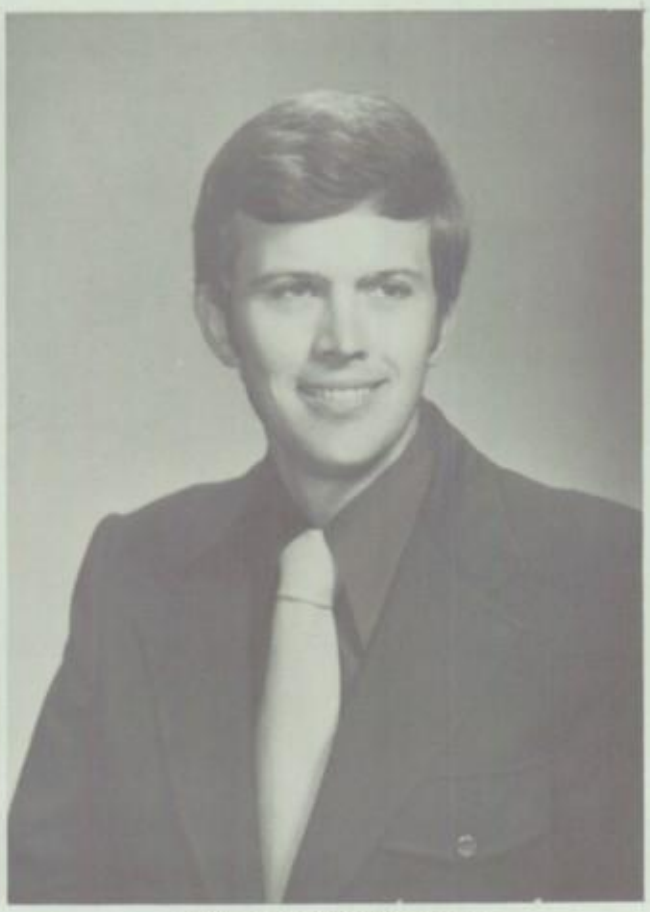
JOHN EISER
President 1975-76

ALBERT KREEK

# Administration



GORDON SUNDERLAND
Superintendent



DAVID LEGAARD
Principal

Gordon Sunderland has been the superintendent of the South Holt school system for the past two years. He received his B.S. degree in Secondary Education at Northwest Missouri State College, and his M.S. degree in School Administration at Northwest Missouri State College. He received his Specialist degree at the University of Missouri, Columbia.

For two years David Legaard has been the principal of South Holt High School. He has a B.S. degree in Secondary Education from Northwest Missouri State College and a M.S. degree in School Administration from Northwest Missouri State College. From the University of Missouri, Columbia, he received his Specialist degree.

ABOVE LEFT: Mr. Legaard measures Bill Slusher for his cap and gown. ABOVE: Mr. Sunderland presents Vonda Kurtz with the All-Around Student award at the awards day ceremony.

MRS. JACK KELLY
Secretary to the Superintendent
and the School Board

MRS. HARRISON MILNE
Secretary to the Principal

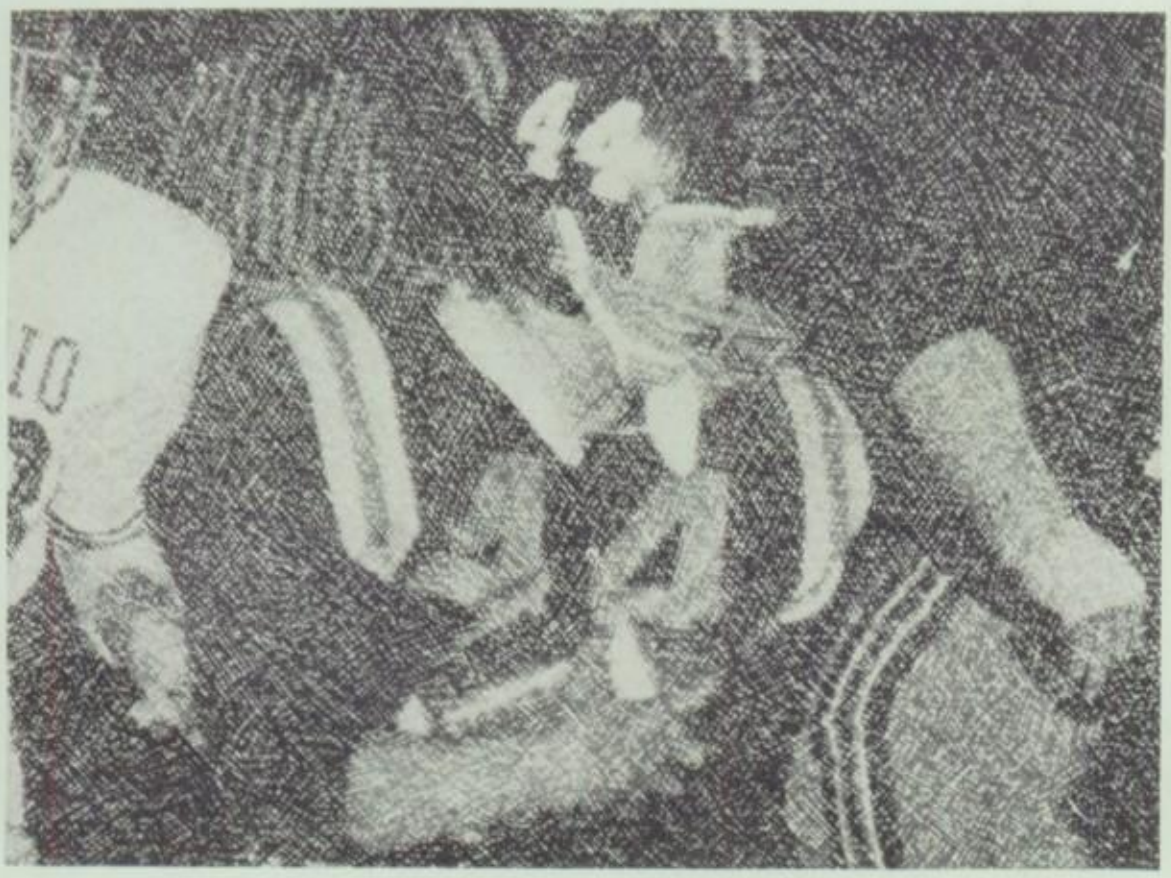
Bus drivers–TOP ROW; Ronnie Kunkel, Glen Lippold, and Clella Whited, BOTTOM ROW; Letha Mae Gordon. Richard Brown, and Bernadine Meyer. LEFT; Virginia Oppenlander.

# Personnel Perform Varied Tasks

Custodians Doreen Lovelady and Jerry Sipes keep the school clean and in good repair.

Cooks–TOP ROW; Mrs. Neal Sommer and Mrs. William Adams. BOTTOM ROW; Mrs. Charles Cunningham (part time) and Mrs. Russell Carroll (head cook).

# FACULTY

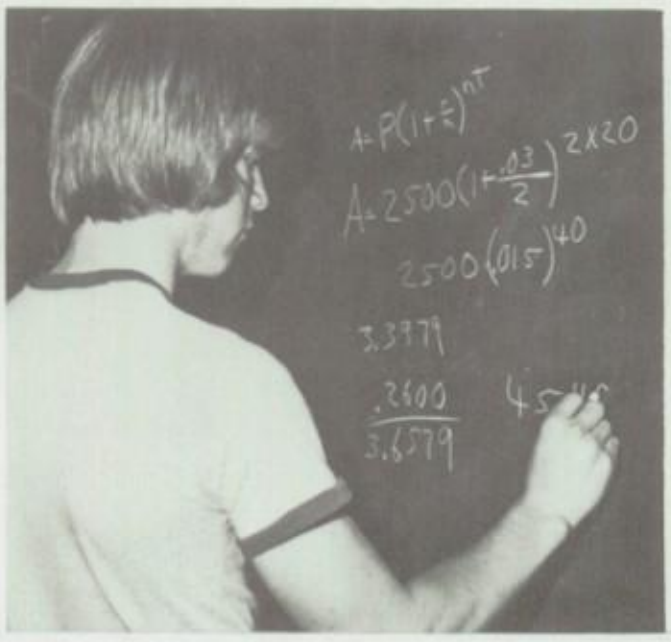


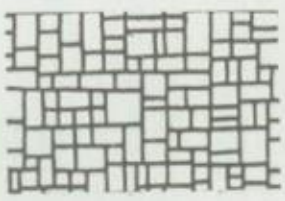
# Bachelor Living Introduced

The technical and practical arts departments were expanded this year with the addition of Bachelor Living to the home economics courses offered and Consumer Math to the traditional math courses of algebra, geometry, general math, and trigonometry.

Bachelor Living, the first full-time home economics course offered to boys in South Holt's history, emphasized the home-making skills needed by today's bachelor. Mrs. David McCollough taught this course. Mrs. Jay Jasper's Consumer Math class studied ways to compute time tables, taxes, and Social Security payments.

FAR RIGHT: Mr. Buntz shows Janice Kurtz how friendly bull snakes can be. RIGHT: Kim Wedekind works an assignment on the blackboard in Algebra II/ Trigonometry. BELOW: Bill McGuire instructs a math class in Mrs. Jasper's absence.





MRS. JAY JASPER
Mathematics
B.S. in Secondary Education,
Missouri Valley College

MR. VICTOR BUNTZ
Natural Science
A.B. in Chemistry and Education.
Tarkio College: Summer Work.
Northwest Missouri State College,
Northeast Missouri State College, Southwest Nebraska State.
University of Kansas

MR. JIM CARTER
Business Arts
B.S. in Secondary Education, Northwest Missouri State University

MR. RICHARD BROWN
Industrial Arts
B.S., M.A. in Industrial Arts, Northwest Missouri State University

MRS. DAVID McCOLOUGH
Home Economics
B.S. in Home Economics, Central Missouri State University

ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Mr. Brown demonstrates the procedure to prepare for arc welding to Dave Scroggins. Mr. Carter and Carrie Cline try to tell the difference between cola soft drinks. Vonda Kurtz and Ruth Dudeck present Mrs. McCollough roses at the Sweetheart Dance.

# New Language Courses Offered

Two new courses were offered this year in the language arts division of the curriculum. Speech II, taught by Miss DeAnn Driver, and Journalism, taught by Mrs. L. G. Waller.

The Speech II class studied the history and mechanics of drama. Mrs. Waller's Journalism students published the school newspaper, and studied such things as copy reading, news writing, and advertising.

RIGHT: Miss Korte directs cheerleaders Tracy Stewart and Penny Roberts in a song at a pep assembly. BELOW RIGHT: Roger Knapp works with clay in art class.

MISS KARMEN KORTE
Vocal Music
B.S. in Vocal Music, Northwest Missouri State University

MR. RILEY SCHENK
Instrumental Music
B.S. in Education. Northwest Missouri State College

MRS. GUY DEFENBAUGH
Art
B.S. in Art, Iowa State University

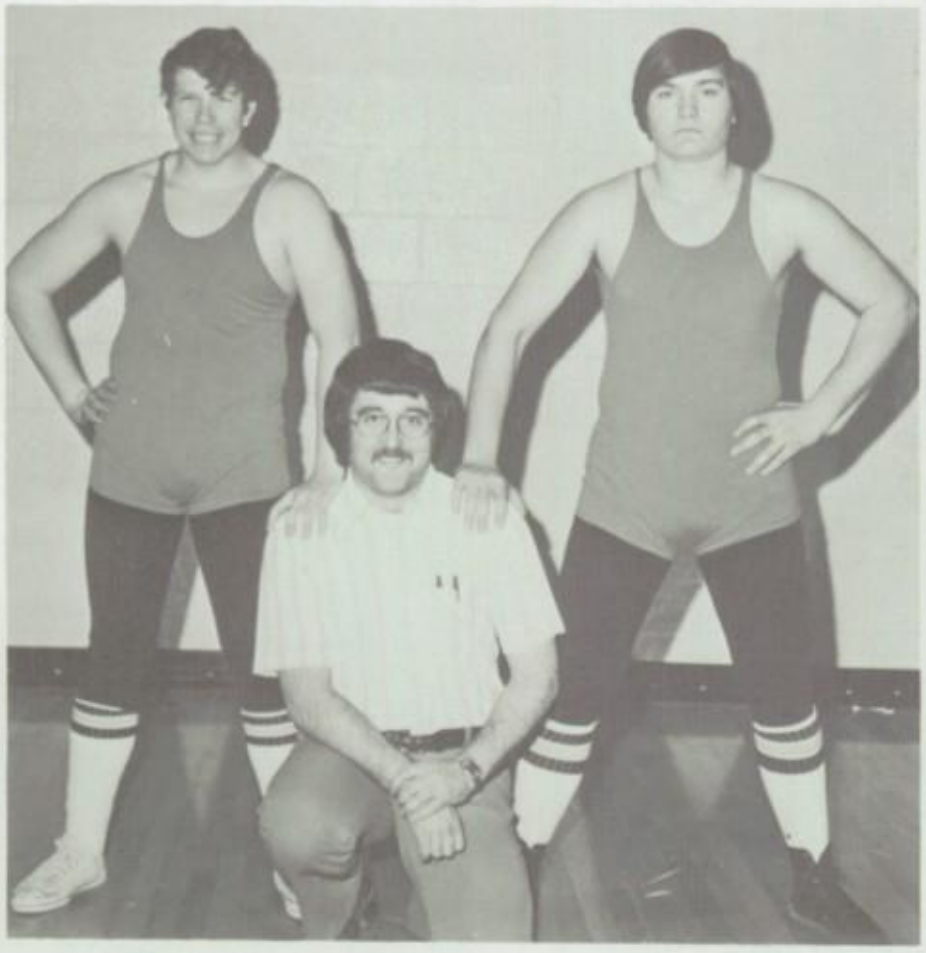
MRS. BERNARD RICHARDS
Language Arts
B.S. in Education, Northwest Missouri State College

MRS. ARTHUR RIDGE
Librarian
B.S. in Library Science, Northwest Missouri State University

MISS DEANN DRIVER
Language Arts
B.S. in Secondary Education, Northwest Missouri State University

MRS. L. G. WALLER
Journalism
B.A. in Journalism, Missouri State University, Columbia

Mrs. Richards conducts a student council meeting.

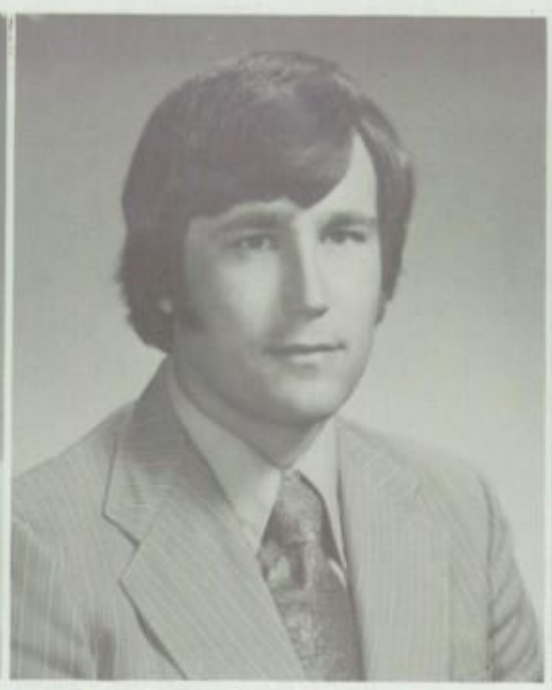


# Coaches Develop Track

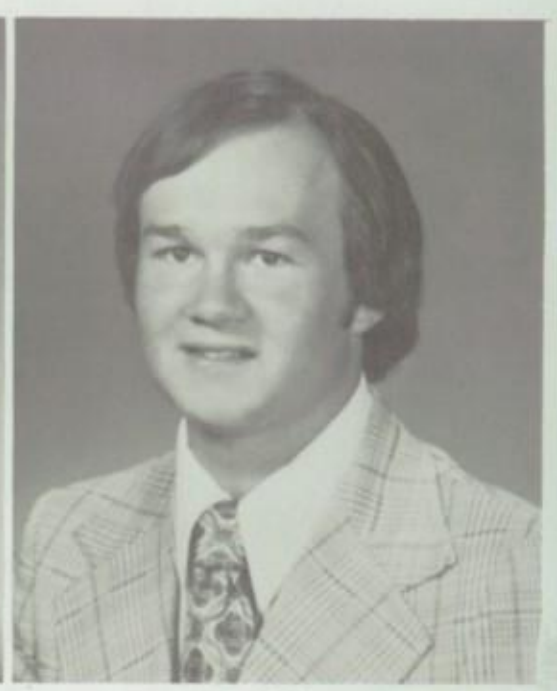
After a cancellation of one year, the school reinstated its track program. Coaches Robert Gillispie and John Ball built a track team that sent a runner to state.

ABOVE: Coach Gene Dill poses with senior grapplers Jim Stein and Eugene Uehlin. RIGHT: Coaches Gillispie and Ball prepare for a meet.

MR. GENE DILL
Wrestling, Sociology, Psycology, Guidance
B.S., M.A. in Guidance, Northwest Missouri State University



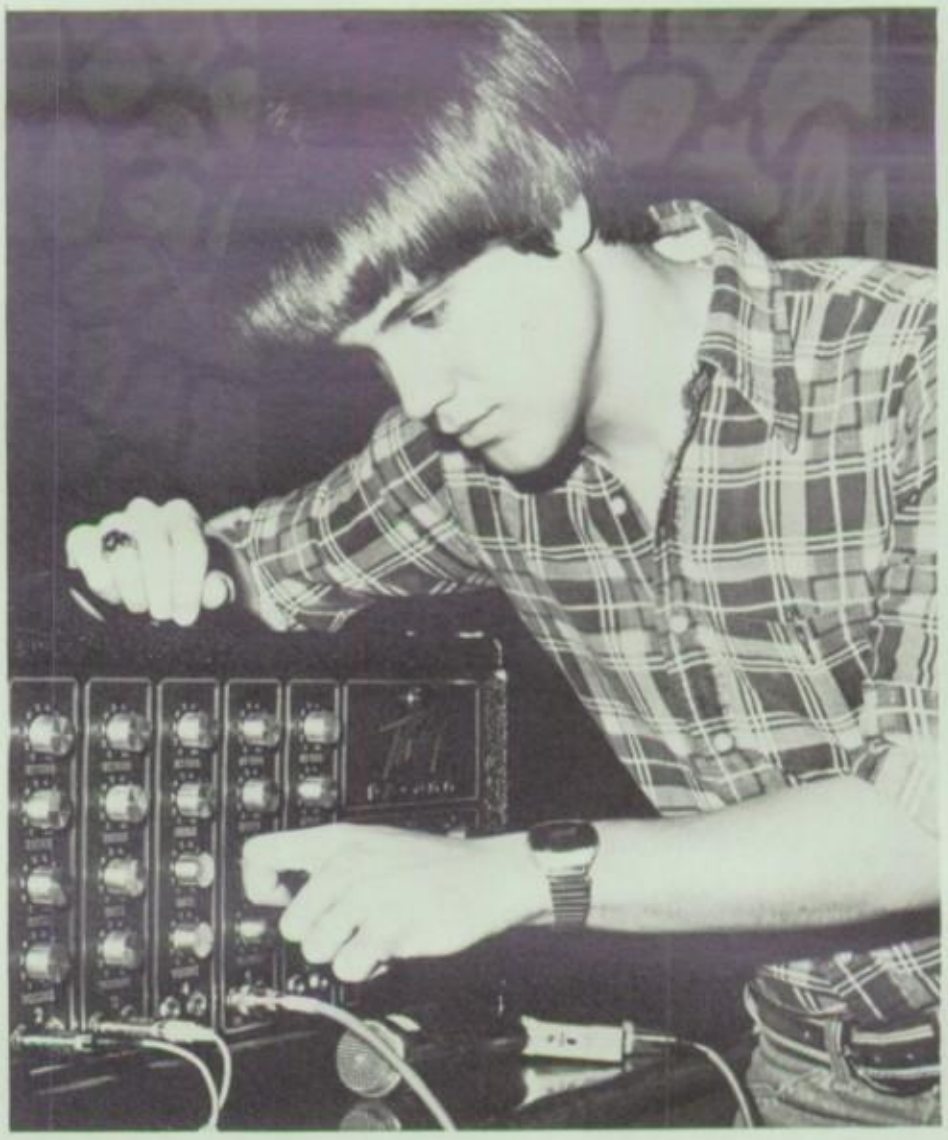
MR. ROBERT GILLISPIE
Basketball, Track, Social Science
B.S., M.A. in Social Science, Northwest Missouri State University



MR' JOHN BALL
Football, Health, Drivers Education
B.S. in Physical Education, William Jewell College

# Student Council Deals with Problems

The Student Council, under the direction of Mark Wohlford, had a very active year. As in the past the Student Council was in charge of the student lounge. This included taking care of the equipment, raising money for new new additions and supervision of the lounge during school hours. The Student Council also sponsored the Christmas Dance, sold ink pens, and purchased a new ping pong table.



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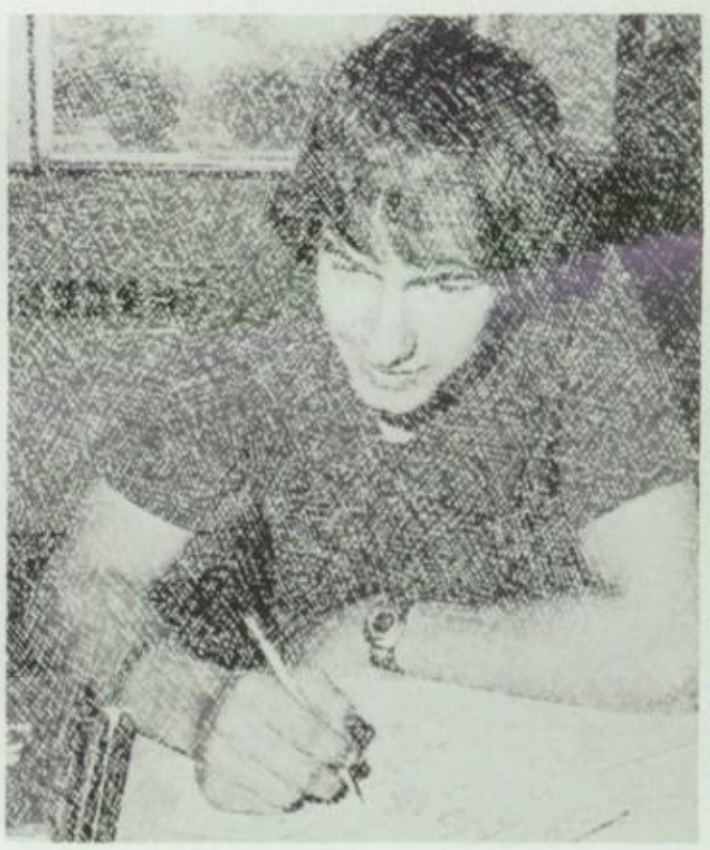
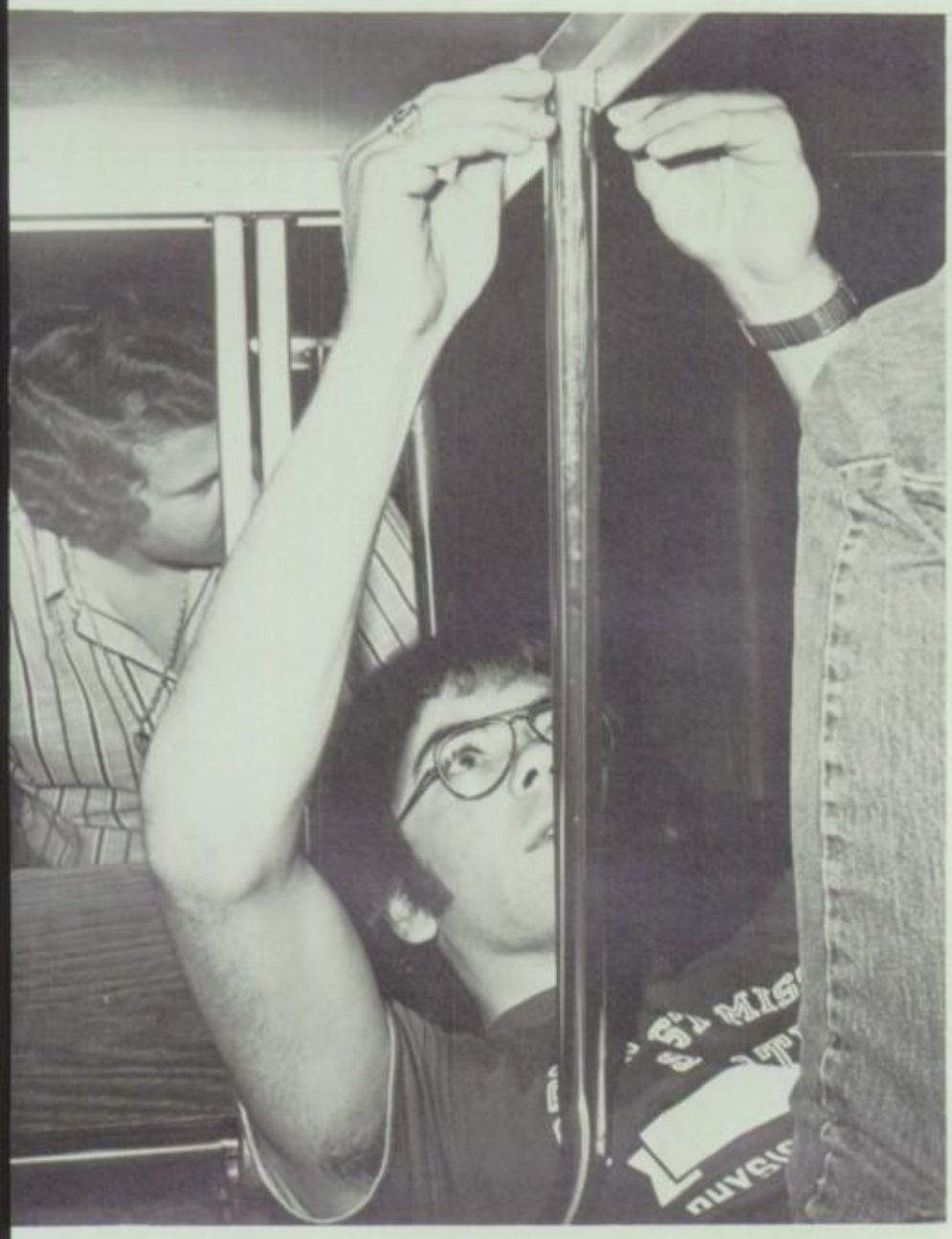




BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: Mrs. Richards recognizes the Student Council members at Class Day ceremonies. Student Council discusses the arrival of a foreign exchange student. Everyone gets in on decorating the Christmas tree. Santa aids Mrs. Richards in chaperoning the Christmas Dance. Mark Wohlford adjusts the sound system. Bill Williams and Ron Allen help set up the new ping pong table. Terresa Milne presents Ben Markt with the President's gavel.

# Honor Society Rewards Scholastic Excellence

This year ten juniors were elected to the National Honor Society and twelve sophomores were chosen as probationary members. They were inducted at the annual installation ceremony. Later in the year a trip to Kansas City was taken. The first stop was Oak Parkway Shopping Center, near Lenexa, Kans. The afternoon was spent riding escalators, shopping and finding places to eat. Next on the list was an hour or so of bowling before supper. The NKC Bowling alley was located right beside the Gold Buffet. How lucky for everyone! After a long fun-filled day and with satisfied stomachs we re-loaded the bus for the journey home. Musical entertainment on the way back was provided by various students.

LEFT PAGE: TOP AND CLOCKWISE: President Ron Allen and sponsor Mrs. Richards. Risa Dodge, Karen Brock and Rex Hunziger exit a small cartoon booth at the bowling alley. Winona Grimes enjoys the afternoon of shopping. Juniors elected to NHS. Dan Dudeck, Mark Buntz and Scott Schieb accompany Grant Jackson in the van during the trip. RIGHT PAGE: BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: Senior members of the NHS. Everyone anxiously awaits the departure time. Ralph Schaeffer pins a flower on Grant during installation. Sophomore students chosen as probationary members to the NHS.

# Future Homemakers Get Involved

The South Holt chapter of the Future Homemakers of America did more than ever this year to try and get the students at South Holt involved, As always, the F.H.A. sponsored the Sweetheart Dance, but that's only the beginning. Under the supervision of their sponsor, Mrs. David McCollough, the chapter made a significant contribution to the Homecoming festivities by providing a fireworks display and making a thirteen-star flag for presentation to Oregon's mayor Don Scheib. The girls held monthly meetings, had a Freshman Initiation breakfast, provided a weekly breakfast for all students and teachers, and sponsored a fun-filled F.H.A. Week. This included Bell Day, Clash Day, Red and White Day, and Slave Day with a box supper and square dance that evening. Several of the girls attended Regional Meeting where South Holt took first place in the poster competition. The Encounter Group, led by Lora Kunkel, honored the mothers of the football players at a tea and raised money, as did the whole chapter, by working at concession stands. Encounter plans to purchase conference team flags to hang in the gymnasium with the money they earned.

A trip to the Dodge House and the Westroads Dinner Theatre in Omaha highlighted the year. In May, the Mothers Tea and Officer Installation brought a busy year to a memorable close.

TOP LEFT: F.H.A. members and their dates enjoy a square dance. LEFT: Mrs. McCollough and Vonda Kurtz present the flag to Mayor Scheib. TOP RIGHT: Roderick Dryden gives a program on sand art. ABOVE: Vonda hands the new scrapbook to historian, Ruth Dudeck.

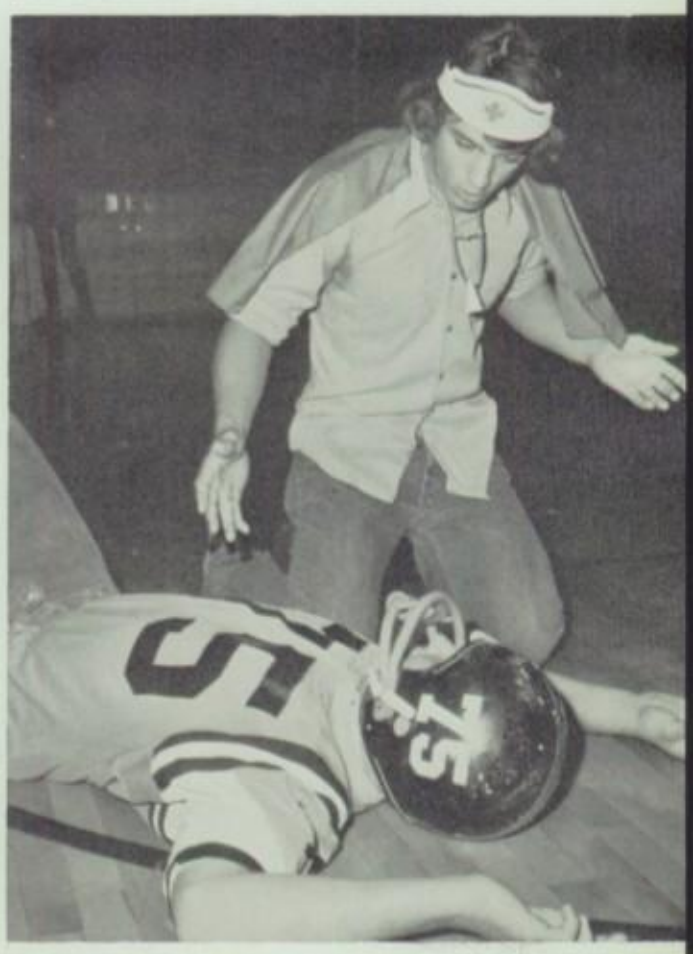
TOP: Officers for the 1975-76 year: (standing l to r) Denise Kurtz, Ruth Dudeck, Kelly Stewart, Lora Kunkel, Vonda Kurtz, Joni Harvill, Mrs. McCollough, (kneeling l to r) Penny Roberts, Tracy Stewart, and Chyre Polsgrove. ABOVE: Officers hold opening ritual before a meeting. LEFT: The officers give roses to Mrs. Mc. at the Sweetheart Dance.

BELOW AND COUNTERCLOCKWISE: Robin O'Connell and Carry Sweaney demonstrate their ability to quack. Cheerleaders and pep club approve of the outcome of a basketball game. South Holt's cheerleaders lead a chant, "Aw Shucks", during a time out. The '75-76 cheerleaders, left to right, Michealle Baird, Cheryl Buntz, Lora Kunkel, Penny Roberts, Kelly Stewart, Tracy Stewart, Debbie Allen, and Janice Kurtz.

# Cheerleaders and Pep Club Boost School Spirit

Putting up spirit posters, decorating locker rooms, participating in victory marches, and wearing black and gold were a few of the things the pep club and cheerleaders did to prove they had school spirit. For Homecoming the pep club constructed a float and participated in two pep rallies and a snake dance to help fire up the football team. Pep assemblies were held at least once a week and the pep club travelled to games at home and away. Something new this year was the Parents' Night held in honor of the parents of wrestlers and basketball players. This year's pep club sponsor was Mrs. Arthur Ridge. Cheryl Buntz was head cheerleader.

BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: Coach Dill agrees to be in a skit at a pep assembly and Penny Roberts lets him have it!!! Dan Atkins plays the part of a nurse and Jeff Schaeffer acts as the poor wounded football player during another skit. Tracy Stewart passes out candy to Karla Kurtz and Diane Harris after pep club initiation day. Students show their school spirit at a football pep rally.



# Drama Club Presents Variety Show

The Drama Club hosted "Speech Night '76". It was a combination of skits and contest readings with a bicentennial finale. Most of the members also participated in the All School Play.

BELOW COUNTERCLOCKWISE: Drama Club members enjoy the initiation party. Vonda Kurtz poses as "Uncle Sam" in a bicentennial salute. Janice Kurtz, Mark Buntz, Ruth Dudeck, Jim Pierson, Debbie Allen, and Dan Dudeck represent different periods in American history. Drama Club poses after Speech Night.

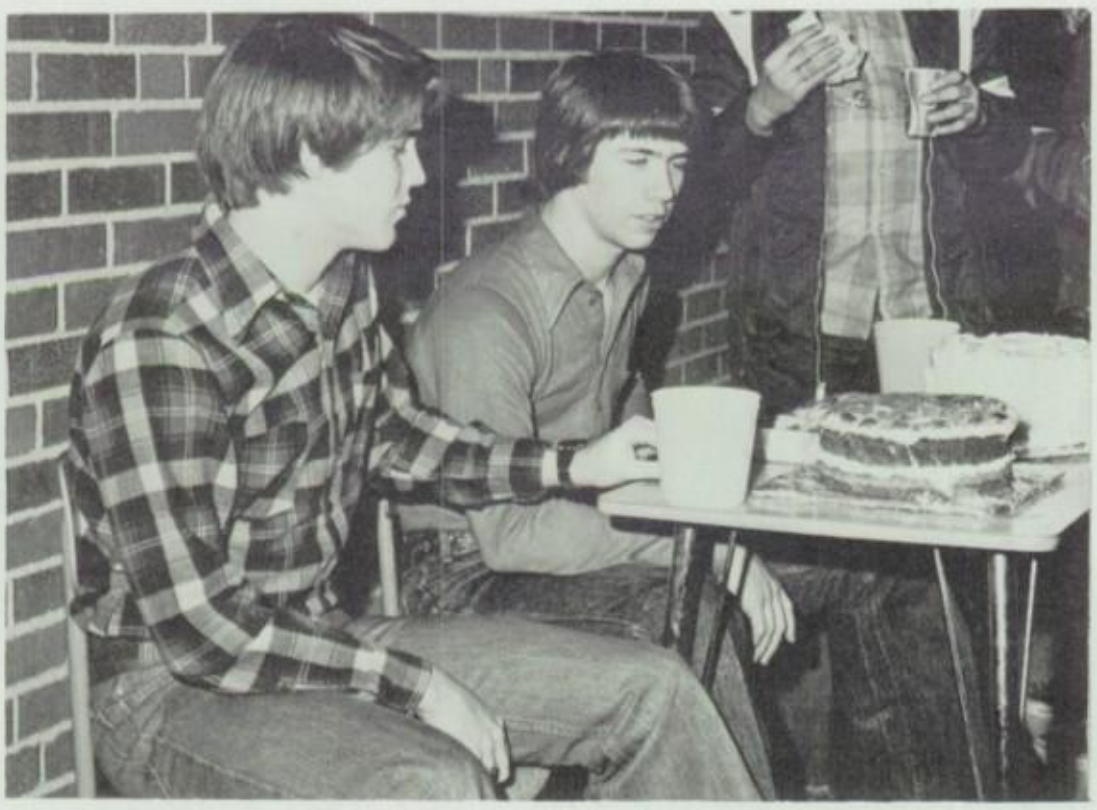
# Staff Strives To Complete Yearbook

The 1975-76 Cavalier staff worked many long hours to complete this year's book. More than a few difficulties were encountered before the pages were finished and ready for printing. Pictures had to be selected, headlines decided upon, and copy written. The students had to do the work on their own time.

ABOVE: Mr. Buntz and some members of the staff travel to a yearbook workshop. LEFT: The senior members of the staff discuss a problem. BELOW LEFT: The following people work on the 1975-76 Cavalier: (seated left to right) Risa Dodge, Editor Julie Kurtz, Winona Grimes, and Karen Brock; (standing left to right) Penny Roberts, Kelly Stewart, Dan Dudeck, Cheryl Buntz, and Emily Field. BOTTOM RIGHT: Winona Grimes works on a page of the yearbook.

# Letterman's Club Promotes Individual Skills

An active year was seen by the members of the Letterman's Club. This year, along with working concession stands, the Letterman's Club sold crates of fruit. Through their efforts and hard work a freshly painted locker room was gained.



ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Mark Wohlford and Ed Brown work a cake raffle stand. Letterman's Club with sponsers. Dan Atkins cleans up after a concession stand. Sponsor, John Ball, prepares to pass out uniforms.

# Art Club Motivates Creation

ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: One of the traditional Art Club projects is the Homecoming Effigy. Mrs. Defenbaugh presents student, Jim Stein with a third place ribbon. Angie McWilliams is awarded Grand Prize for the 1976 Art Show. A group of prize-winning Art Students pose for a picture.

# Journalism Class Publishes Paper

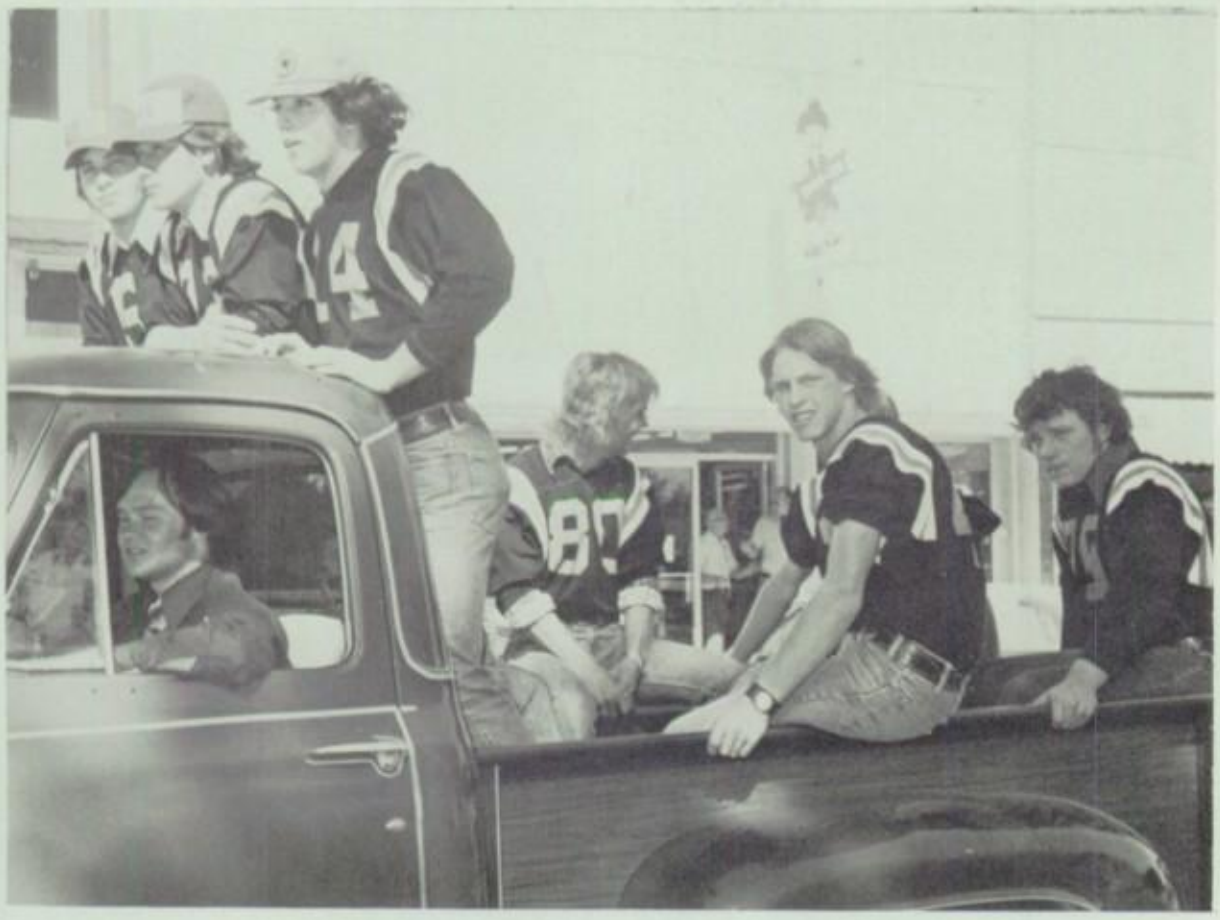
One of the new courses offered at South Holt this year was Journalism. In addition to learning to write accurate stories, edit copy, type stencils, devise headlines, and execute interviews, the class and their teacher, Mrs. Glenn Waller, took on the project of putting out a school paper. This proved to be a more difficult task than any of them expected, but they succeeded in publishing at least one paper a month.

ABOVE CLOCKWISE: Members of the class prepare to go on a field trip. They are from left to right: Shirley Noland, Janice Kurtz, Carry Sweaney, Mark Wohlford, Diane Meng, Kim Fricke, Roseann Stroud, Mrs. Waller, Winona Grimes, and Sharon Rayhill (not pictured, Vonda Kurtz, Emily Field, and Ricardo Neto). Mr. Wilfred Clements, of the Mound City News-Independent, explains the workings of the press as Carry and Sharon listen intently. The class prepares their paper for mailing.

# ATHLETES

ABOVE: left to right, back row–assistant coach Robert Gillispie, David Hurst, Mike Noellsch, Rick Roecker, Tony Elder, Eugene Kanatzer, Terry Anderson, Rob Baird, Kevin Atkins, and head coach John Ball. Middle row–Rich Mendenhall, Roger Brock, Barry Kee, Ken Paxton, Ben Markt, Kim Wedekind, Steve Monahan, Jeff Schaeffer, Dwayne Roecker, and student manager John Delp. Front row–Bill Slusher, B. J. Bailey, Mark Wohlford, Dan Atkins, Rex Reynolds, Dave Scroggins, Ed Brown, and Bill Williams.

# Knights Face Rough Season



## Season's Record

| South Holt | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 12 | Nodaway Holt | 6 |
| 13 | Mound City | 19 |
| 0 | West Nodaway | 42 |
| 0 | Fairfax | 20 |
| 27 | Craig | 15 |
| 14 | Grant City | 6 |
| 0 | Rock Port | 27 |
| 7 | Hamilton | 30 |
| 6 | Tarkio | 34 |

LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: The scoreboard looks good at the end of the homecoming game. Members of the team devour cupcakes baked by the pep club. B. J. Bailey cuts in for a long gain. The football team rides uptown for the homecoming pep assembly. The team is ready to go after the playing of the national anthem.

# Three Rank High in Conference

Recognition in the conference was received by three senior members of the Knight football team. B. J. Bailey received first team offensive back for his fine performance in the backfield throughout the season. Rex Reynolds received honorable mention offensive center. As center for the Knights the last two years, Rex was a definite asset to the team. Dan Atkins received honorable mention defensive linebacker. Dan was also quarterback of the team and chalked up many fine statistics in that position.

ABOVE: B. J. Bailey, Rex Reynolds, and Dan Atkins receive conference honors. RIGHT: The senior members of the team.

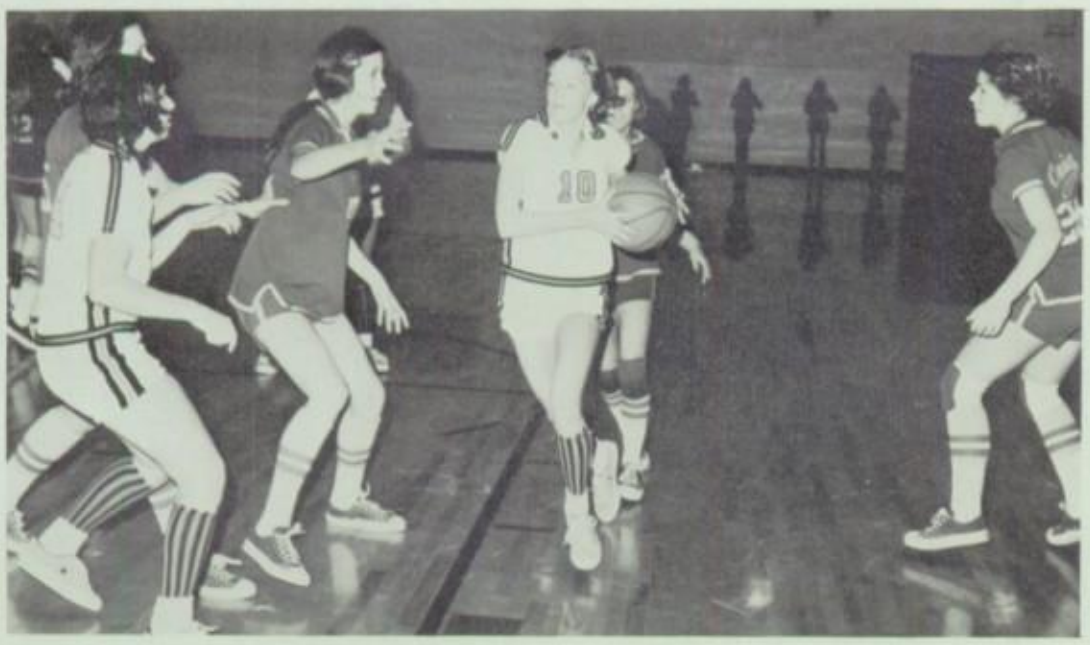
# Men of the Gridiron

LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: The Knights line up on defense. Tight end Ed Brown reaches for a pass. Practices with the contact dummies are a daily routine. Knights loosen up before the main workout.

# Girls Face Tough Conference

Coach Bob Gillispie directed the girls' basketball team this year. They had a 2-15 season record. Robin O'Connell led the Knights with 151 points. Marcia Headley followed with 115 points. Leading rebounders were Teresa Milne and Sharon Brock.

RIGHT: Carol Scheib grabs a loose ball.
FAR RIGHT: Sharon Brock tries for two.
BELOW: The girls' basketball team and Coach Gillispie pose for a picture.

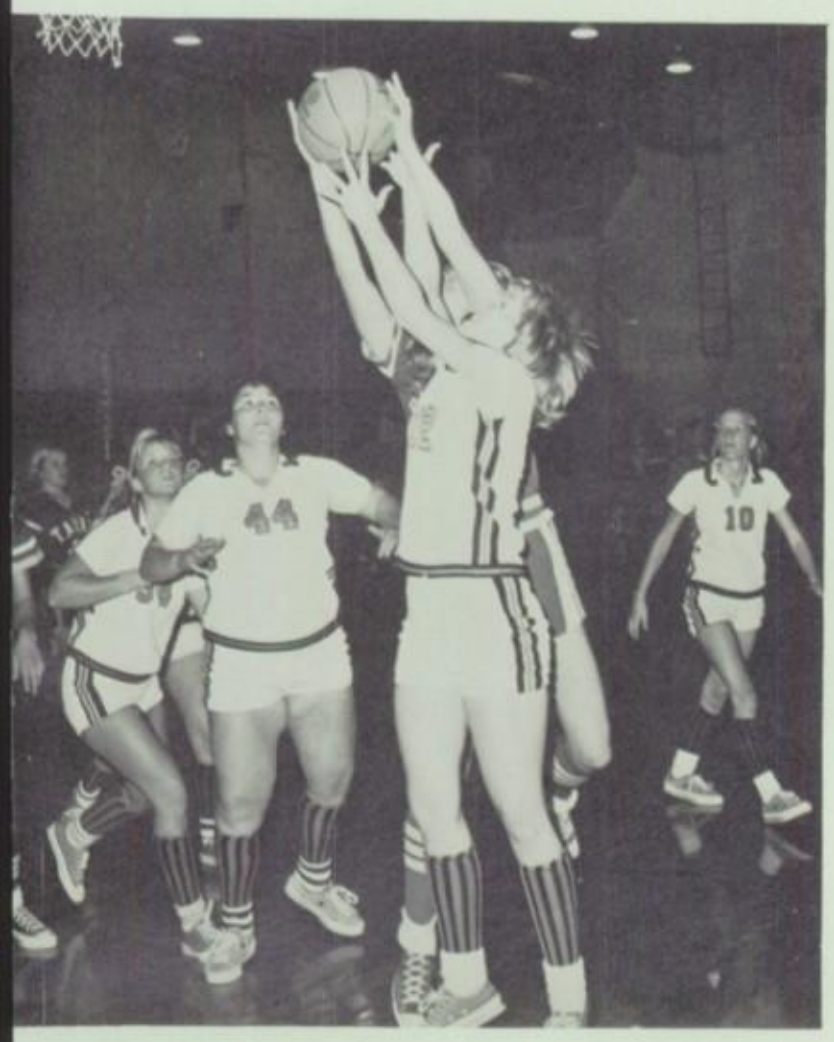


ABOVE COUNTERCLOCKWISE: Rose Gordon waits for the rebound. Coach Gillispie and senior members: (front row left to right) Terri Munyon, Tamara Huffer, and Terresa Milne; (back row left to right) Robin O'Connell, Rose Gordon, and Marcia Headley. Marcia Headley drives down court. Terresa Milne and Karla Kurtz anticipate an opponent's free throw. Sophomore players are: (left to right) Chyre Polsgrove, Carol Scheib, Kathy Monahan, and Angie Delp.

# Team Wins Consolation Trophy

LEFT AND COUNTER CLOCKWISE: Terresa Milne shoots over a defender. Junior Angie McWilliams and Sharon Brock hold the consolation trophy. Michealle Baird escorts Robin O'Connell and her parents at Parents' Night. Freshman members are: (left to right) Kim Quick, Diane Harris, Brenda Burrier, and Karla Kurtz. OPPOSITE PAGE TOP: Girls warm up before a game. BOTTOM: Robin O'Connell fights for the ball.

# B Team Finds Quick Talent On Basketball Court



| South Holt | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 40 | Dekalb | 54 |
| 39 | Tarkio | 57 |
| 26 | North Andrew | 34 |
| 20 | Nodaway Holt | 45 |
| 32 | Fairfax | 44 |
| 22 | Craig | 24 |
| 35 | West Nodaway | 47 |
| 31 | Rock Port | 50 |
| 21 | Maryville | 45 |
| 49 | North Platte | 30 |
| 48 | West Platte | 43 |
| 27 | Savannah | 37 |
| 36 | Tarkio | 58 |
| 42 | North Nodaway | 46 |
| 25 | Nodaway Holt | 47 |
| 22 | Mound City | 33 |
| 30 | West Nodaway | 42 |

ABOVE: The South Holt Knights varsity team. From left to right–Coach Robert Gillispie, Dan Atkins, Ben Markt, Scott Scheib, Kim Wedekind, Pat Gordon, Steve Monahan, B.J. Bailey, Ron Allen, Mark Buntz, French Harris, and Mark Wohlford.

ABOVE: Kim Wedekind jumps up for the opening tip-off. RIGHT: B. J. Bailey goes in for a layup during pregame warmup.

# Knights See Tough Conference Action

The South Holt Knights played in a tough conference this year and were unable to establish a winning record. The Knights' season consisted of five wins and twelve losses. Several of their defeats were in close games. They played all of the teams in the 275 conference plus a few teams outside of the conference. The Knights played Craig in the regional basketball tournament. They defeated Craig earlier in the season, but were unable to do it again in the regional.

The team was hampered by the injury of Dan Atkins in the third quarter of the Rock Port game. Dan saw very little action the rest of the season.

| South Holt | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 54 | North Andrew | 51 |
| 33 | Mound City | 70 |
| 43 | Fairfax | 52 |
| 52 | Craig | 49 |
| 53 | West Nodaway | 58 |
| 50 | Rick Port | 85 |
| 49 | Weston | 73 |
| 53 | West Nodaway | 59 |
| 38 | Savannah | 56 |
| 48 | Tarkio | 75 |
| 70 | North Nodaway | 57 |
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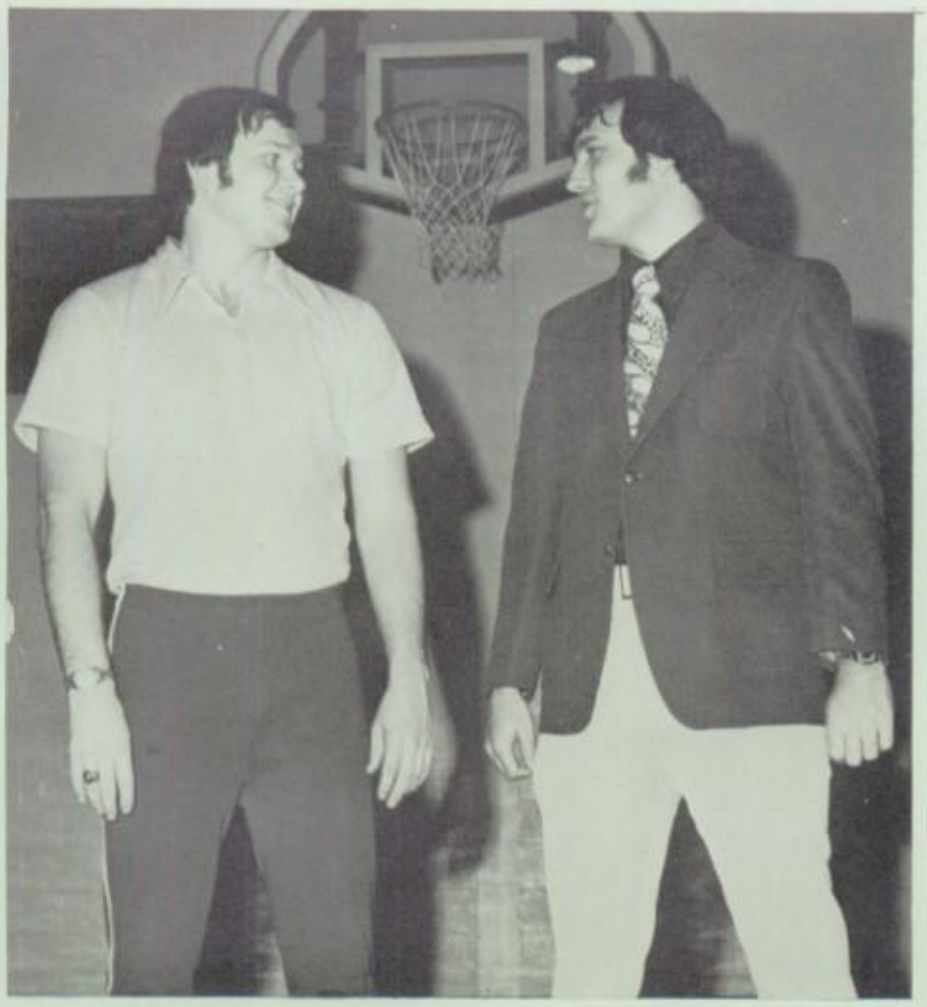
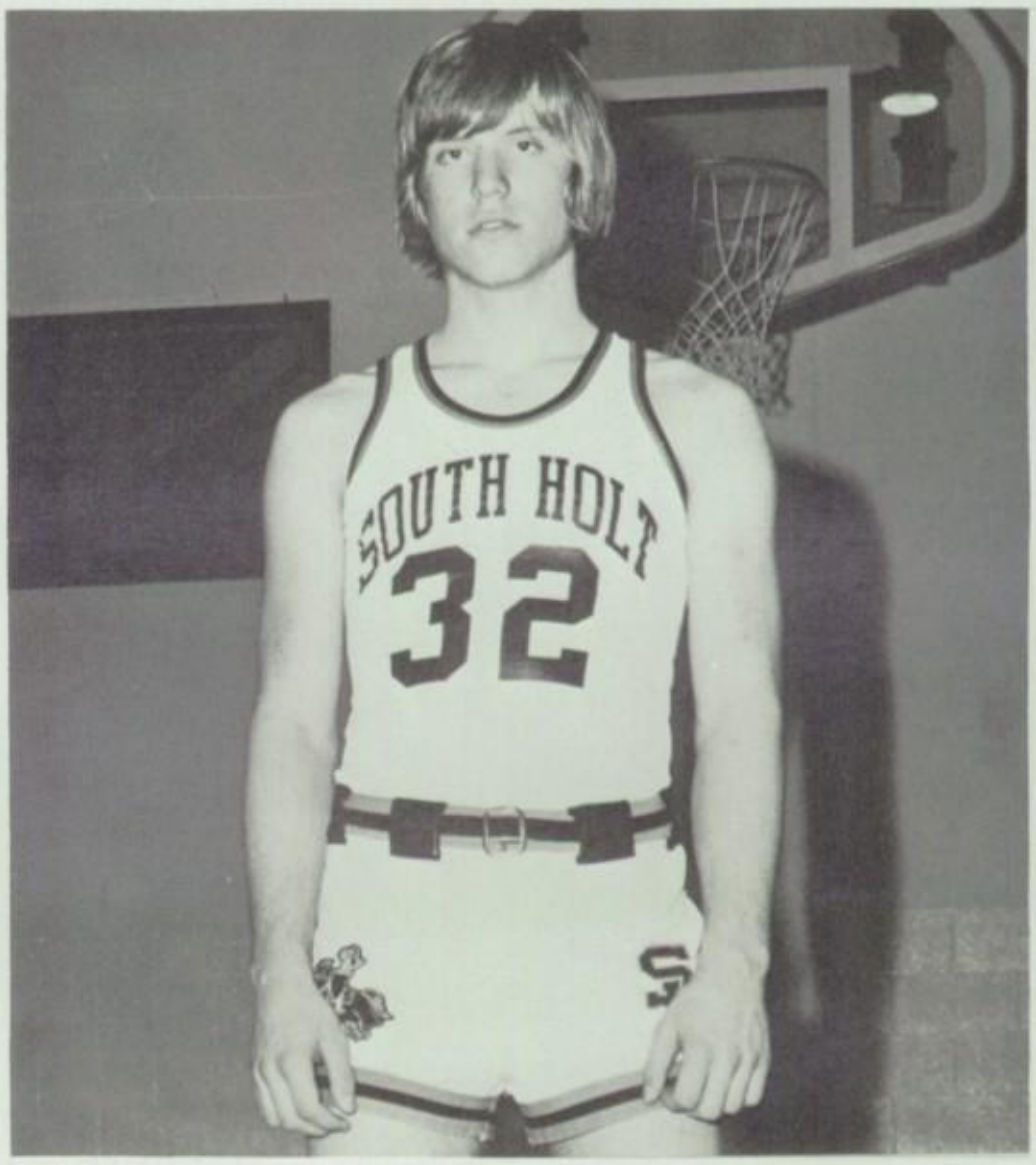


LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: The Knights set up defense against Savannah. Coaches John Ball and Robert Gillispie discuss game strategy. Dan Atkins throws in the ball from out of bounds.

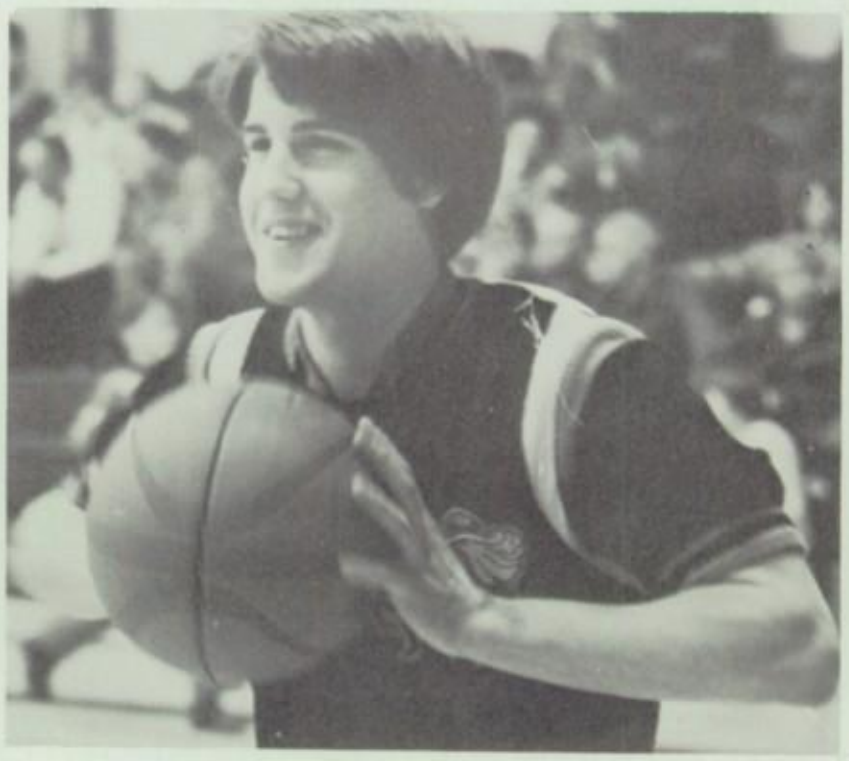
# Cagers Better Last Year's Record



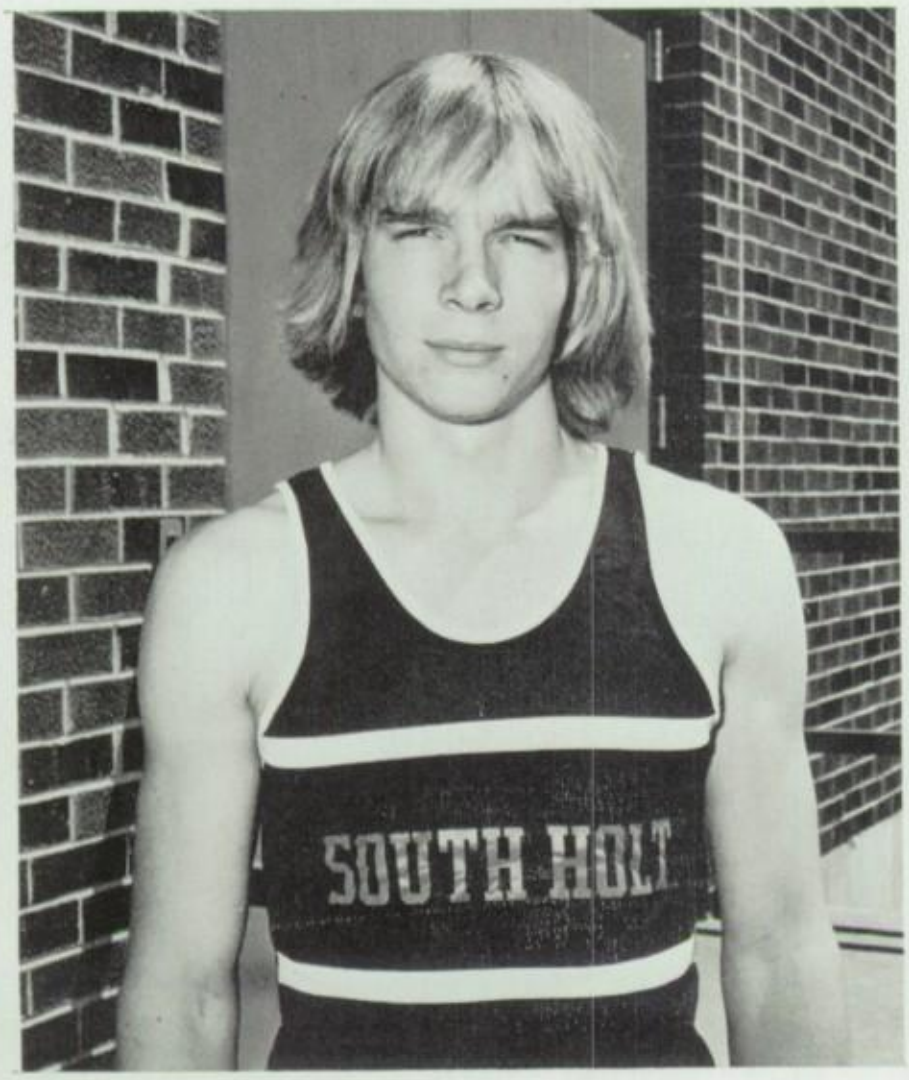
ABOVE: Kim Wedekind led the conference in rebounds with an average of 13.8 per game. He was a junior and will be returning next year.

LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: Kim Wedekind pulls down another rebound. The Knights play tight defense. The starting five fire up after pregame introductions.

ABOVE: The South Holt junior varsity, from left to right–Coach John Ball, Chris Kurtz, Kevin Atkins, Mike Noellsch, Terry Anderson, Dwayne Roecker, Jim Noellsch, Anthony Hurst, John Costello, Scott Steward, Jim Kanatzer, David Kurtz, and Richard Mendenhall.



LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: The freshmen members of the team. The Knights go into a huddle before the start of a game. Mark Wohlford passes off during a pregame warm-up.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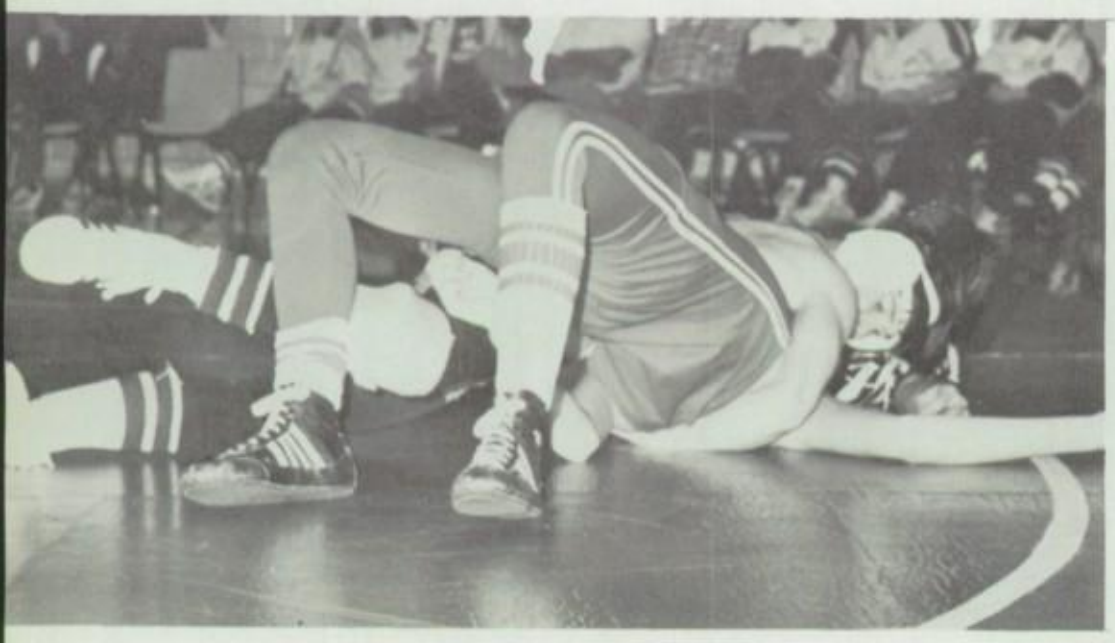
# Track Program Reinstated at South Holt

The South Holt track teams made an impressive comeback after a year's absence. Many students proved to be good all-around athletes who were willing to work. Their efforts are evident in the new school records that were set and in some outstanding individual records. Ben Markt placed third at the district track meet in the 880 yd. run, which enabled him to go to the state meet held at Columbia.

LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: Combined boys' and girls' track team poses with Coaches Gillispie and Ball. Mark Buntz clears the wood in the 120 yd. high hurdles. Ben Markt acted as the captain of the boys track team and was awarded the Outstanding Track Medal at class day activities. Rob Baird runs his leg in a relay. Patty Benedict takes a minute to get her shoe on before a practice. Marcia Headley, Carry Sweaney, and Kim Quick prepare to leave for a track meet. Vonda Kurtz reigns over the Rock Port track meet as Bluejay Relay Queen.

ABOVE: left to right–Coach Gene Dill, Rob Baird, John Kurtz, Dan Dudeck, Tony Elder, Jim Stein, John Delp, Eugene Uehlin, and Rick Roecker



ABOVE: John Delp pins his opponent from Rock Port. RIGHT: Referee Scott Pierce raises Rick Roecker's hand after Rick wins his match in the 112 lb. weight class.

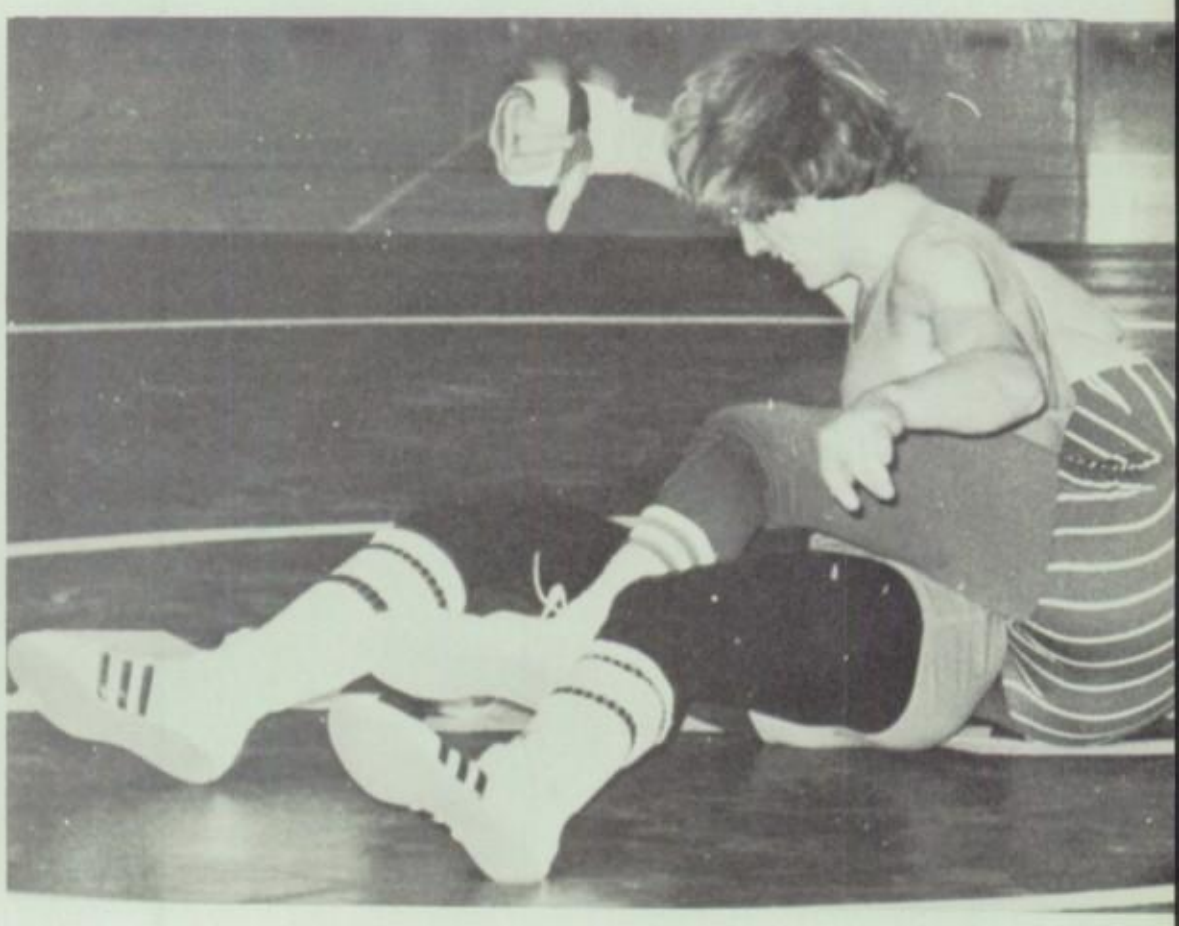
# Grapplers Go with Small Team

Despite the fact that they had to forfeit four weight classes every meet, this year's wrestling team was something to be proud of. The team scored well during the season and the four freshmen improved greatly through the course of the year.

The Knights participated in ten meets and district contest. John Delp, Rob Baird, and Dan Dudeck each placed at the Maryville tournament. John had one of the best individual records on the team. Since he and Rob were underclassmen they will be returning next year.

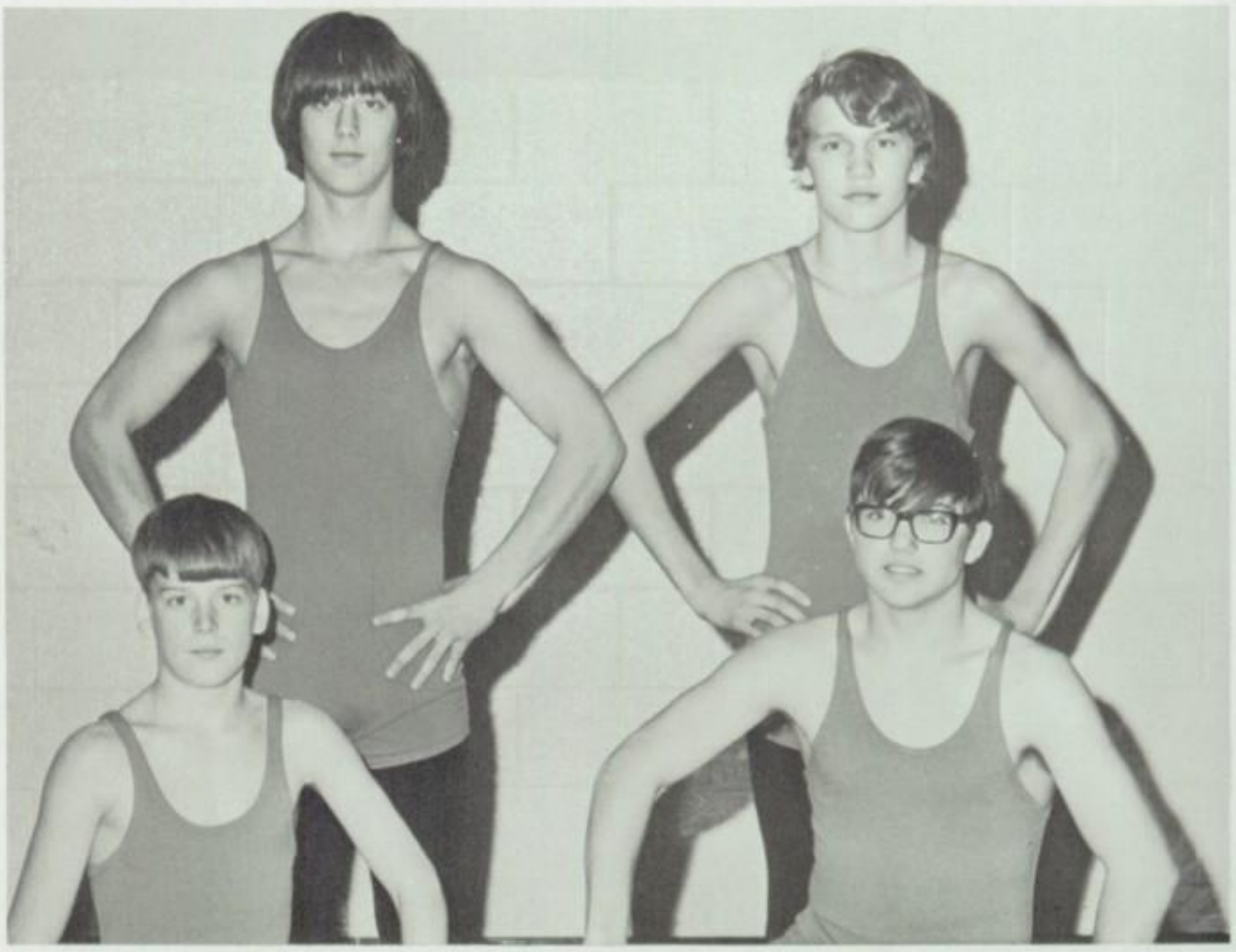
South Holt Individual Records

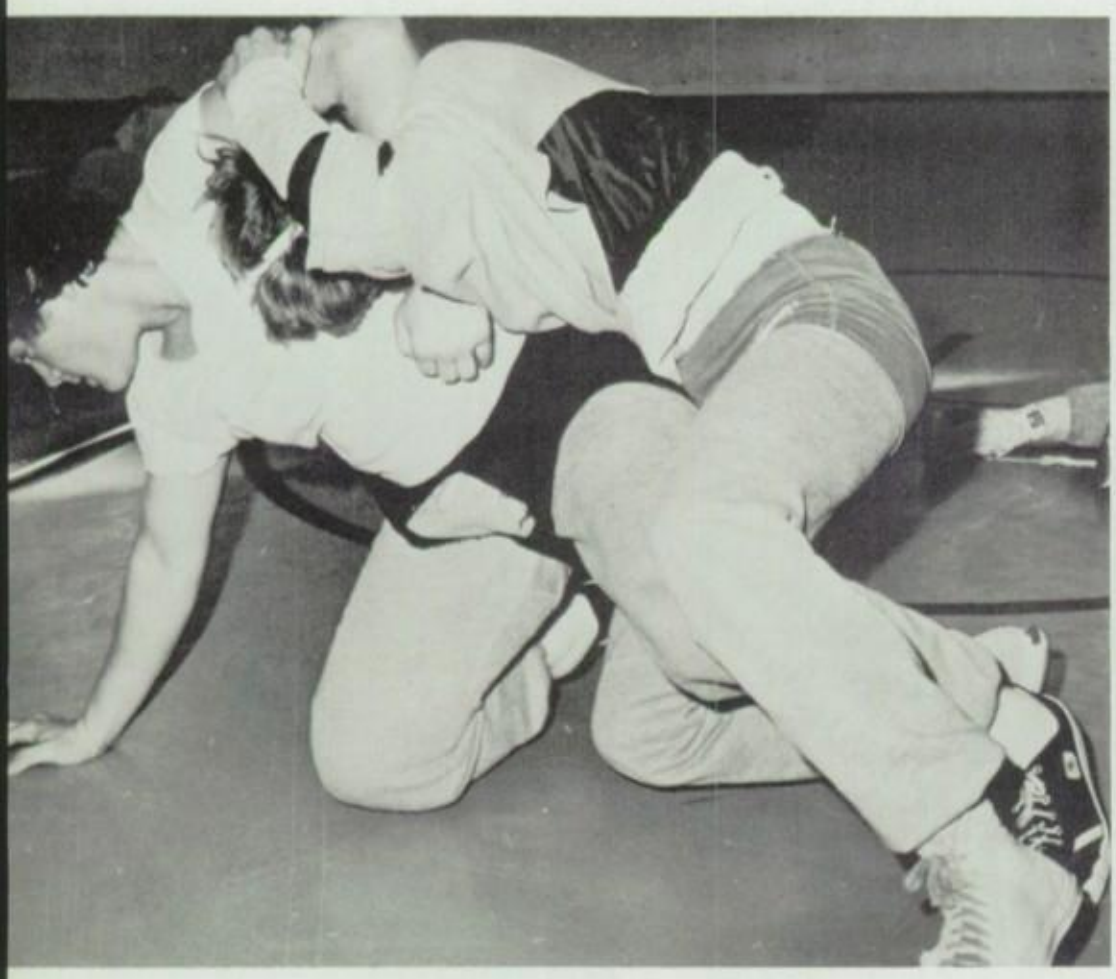
| Wt. | Won | Lost | Tie |
|---|---|---|---|
| 98 John Kurtz | 1 | 12 | 0 |
| 112 Rick Roecker | 2 | 12 | 0 |
| 119 Tony Elder | 1 | 12 | 0 |
| 132 Rob Baird | 3 | 12 | 0 |
| 138 John Delp | 7 | 8 | 0 |
| 145 Dan Dudeck | 5 | 4 | 1 |
| 185 Jim Stein | 0 | 13 | 0 |
| HWT Eugene Uehlin | 2 | 10 | 0 |



LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: Tony Elder greets his opponent from Penny High School. South Holt wrestling coach—Mr. Gene Dill. Dan Dudeck reverses his man in the 145 lb. weight class.

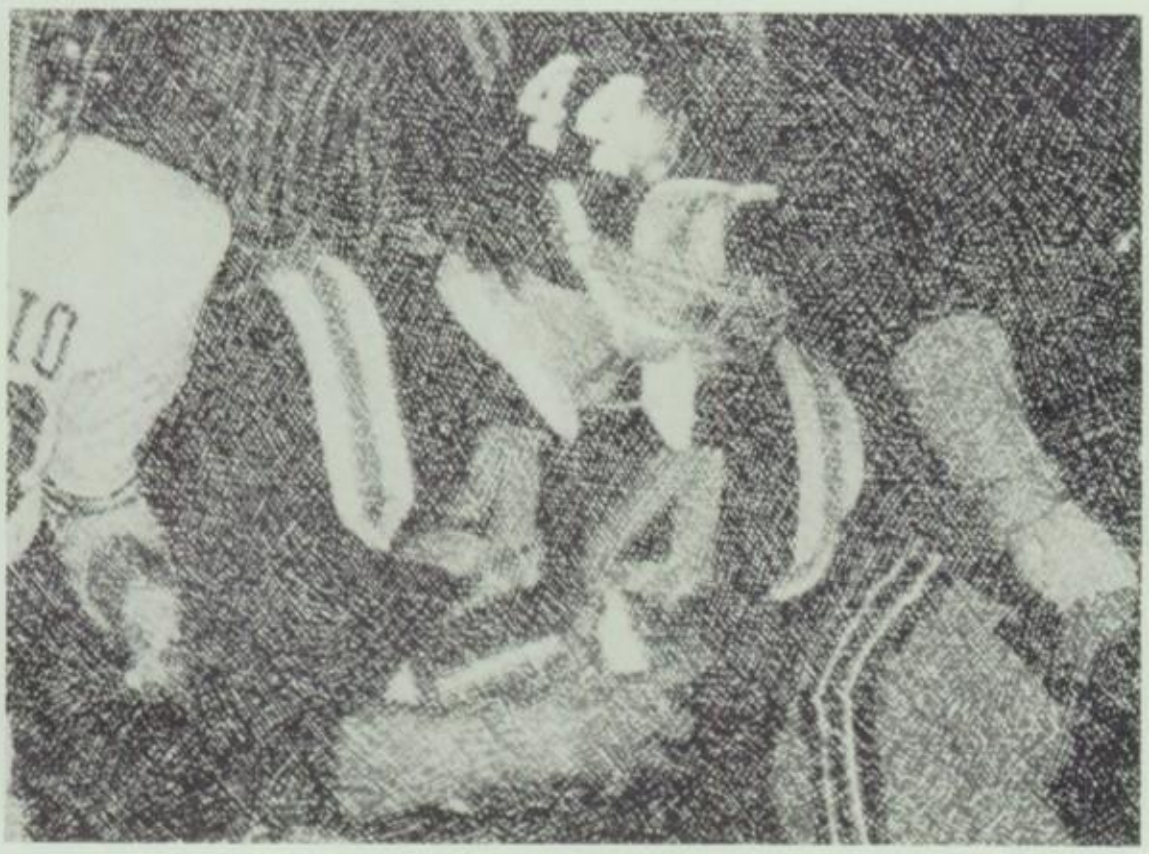
# Young Wrestlers Prove Tough





ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Many hours are put in on the mat during practice. The four freshmen on the team—John Kurtz, Rob Baird, Rick Roecker, and Tony Elder. Rob Baird is indicated as the man in control.

# MUSICIANS



# Marching Band Has Successful Season

Under the direction of Mr. Riley Schenk, the South Holt Marching Band finished out the 1975 marching season with a performance in Missouri Western State College's Homecoming Parade. Their fine execution of "Basin Street Blues" and the dance routine they did with it, earned them the first place trophy. Earlier in the season the band marched in the Holt County Autumn Festival Parade, at South Holt's Homecoming festivities, and at all of the home football games, where they presented pre-game and half-time shows.

OPPOSITE PAGE LEFT: Band members wait anxiously for half-time. RIGHT: Dan Atkins, Jim Stein, and Bill Slusher keep the cadance moving right along. BOTTOM: Marching Band makes their first appearance of the year at the Autumn Festival. THIS PAGE TOP LEFT: The band's work on diagonals paid off. TOP RIGHT: Anthony Hurst and Karla Kurtz work hard during a morning practice. BOTTOM LEFT: Ed Hunziger and Roseann Stroud watch for a starting signal. BOTTOM RIGHT: Majorette Cheryl Buntz leads the band in the Autumn Festival Parade.

# Band Receives Two Standing Ovations

As soon as marching season was completed, the band started work on their winter concert. The tunes that the band performed varied in style from "TSOP" to selections from "Man of LaMancha" to "The Christmas Suite", and were played well enough to earn them a standing ovation from the crowd.

Preparing for Disrtict Contest was the band's next project. After receiving the highest possible rating, the band presented their spring concert, which included their two contest numbers. To show their appreciation, the crowd gave the band their second standing ovation of the year.

This year's concert band was the largest ever with seventy-seven members. A full low brass section added the needed depth to make the band one of the best in the entire state.

LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: The band performs their winter concert. Ron Allen and Mark Wohlford lead the trumpet section. The stage band plays in the winter concert. Ruth Dudeck performs her piano solo at the spring concert. After a fine effort, Ruth was presented the year's All-Around Musician Award.

ABOVE: Band members await the starting signal. TOP: The band explodes into one of their numbers. RIGHT: Mr. Schenk tells the crowd about their next song.

ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Miss Korte directs as the chorus performs at Christmas Concert. Laura Baird looks over her music. The Chorus prepares to sing another song at the spring concert. The girls' sextet practices with Miss Korte.

# Chorus Gives Excellent Performances

The South Holt chorus, under the direction of Miss Karmen Korte, gave two outstanding concerts this year. The concerts showed a lot of creativity and enthusiasm. The chorus also made a fine showing at district music contest.

There were seven ensembles which sang at the contest. Two of these ensembles came home with I ratings, which made them eligible for state music contest.

| Chorus Ratings | District | State |
|---|---|---|
| Girls' Trio<br>Robin O'Connell<br>Michealle Baird<br>Terresa Milne | I, | I |
| Girls' Quartet<br>Michealle Baird<br>Robin O'Connell<br>Terresa Milne<br>Ruth Dudeck | II | |
| Girls' Sextet<br>Tracy Stewart<br>Kathy Monahan<br>Chyre Polsgrove<br>Lora Matthews<br>Ruth Dudeck<br>Deborah Burger | II | |
| Girls' Sextet<br>Laura Baird<br>Angie McWilliams<br>Sandy Muscavage<br>Loria Greene<br>Diane Harris<br>Denise Kurtz | II | II |
| Mixed Eight<br>Denise Kurtz<br>Chyre Polsgrove<br>Tracy Stewart<br>Sandy Muscavage<br>Bill Williams<br>Eugene Uehlin<br>Steve Swoboda<br>Dan Dudeck | II | |
| Vocal Solos | | |
| Denise Kurtz | I | II II |
| Lora Matthews | III | |

ABOVE: Terresa Milne, Michealle Baird, and Robin O'Connell comprised the Girls' Trio. The trio received a I rating at district and state music contests. The trio also performed at the spring concert and the graduation ceremony.

# Band Earns Highest Possible Rating

Hard work and a lot of practice paid off for the concert band this year. At District Contest they captured a "I" rating from each of the three judges for their execution of "Chorale and Capriccio", by Giovinninni and "Matrix", by Leckrone. Then they received a "I" from the sight-reading judge, bringing the band to a total of four and a "I" rating over-all.

RIGHT: Ed Hunziger and Jim Stein keep the rhythm rollin'. RIGHT CENTER: Ron Stephenson and David Kurtz unload instruments. BOTTOM: The stage band takes a bow after performing in the winter concert.

| Contest Ratings | District | State |
|---|---|---|
| Concert Band | I,I,I,I | |
| Instrumental Solos | | |
| Ruth Dudeck, piano | II | |
| Kenneth Paxton, trumpet | III | |
| Carry Sweaney, flute | II | |
| Lora Kunkel, flute | II | |
| Kevin Atkins, bari sax | II | |
| Robin Hall, alto sax | II | |
| Dan Dudeck, tuba | II | |
| Julie Kurtz, flute | II | |
| Instrumental Ensembles | | |
| Flute Trio | I, II | II |
| Julie Kurtz | | |
| Carry Sweaney | | |
| Emily Field | | |
| Drum Ensemble | I, II | II |
| Ed Hunziger | | |
| Jim Stein | | |
| Mark Buntz | | |
| Kim Wedokind | | |
| John Kurtz | | |
| Brass Six | II | |
| Mark Wohlford | | |
| Ron Allen | | |
| Dan Dudeck | | |
| Scott Scheib | | |
| Terry Kee | | |
| Ruth Dudeck | | |

Trombone Four — II
- Terry Kee
- Leslie Whisler
- John Costello
- Bob Patterson

Trumpet Trio — I,IV
- Mark Wohlford
- Ron Allen
- Vonda Kurtz

Clarinet Trio — II
- Cheryl Buntz
- Diane Meng
- Denise Kurtz

Flute Four — II
- Emily Field
- Lora Kunkel
- Becky Lewis
- Betty Muscavage

Clarinet Four — II
- Deborah Allen
- Brenda Burrier
- Lola Dozier
- Shirley Noland

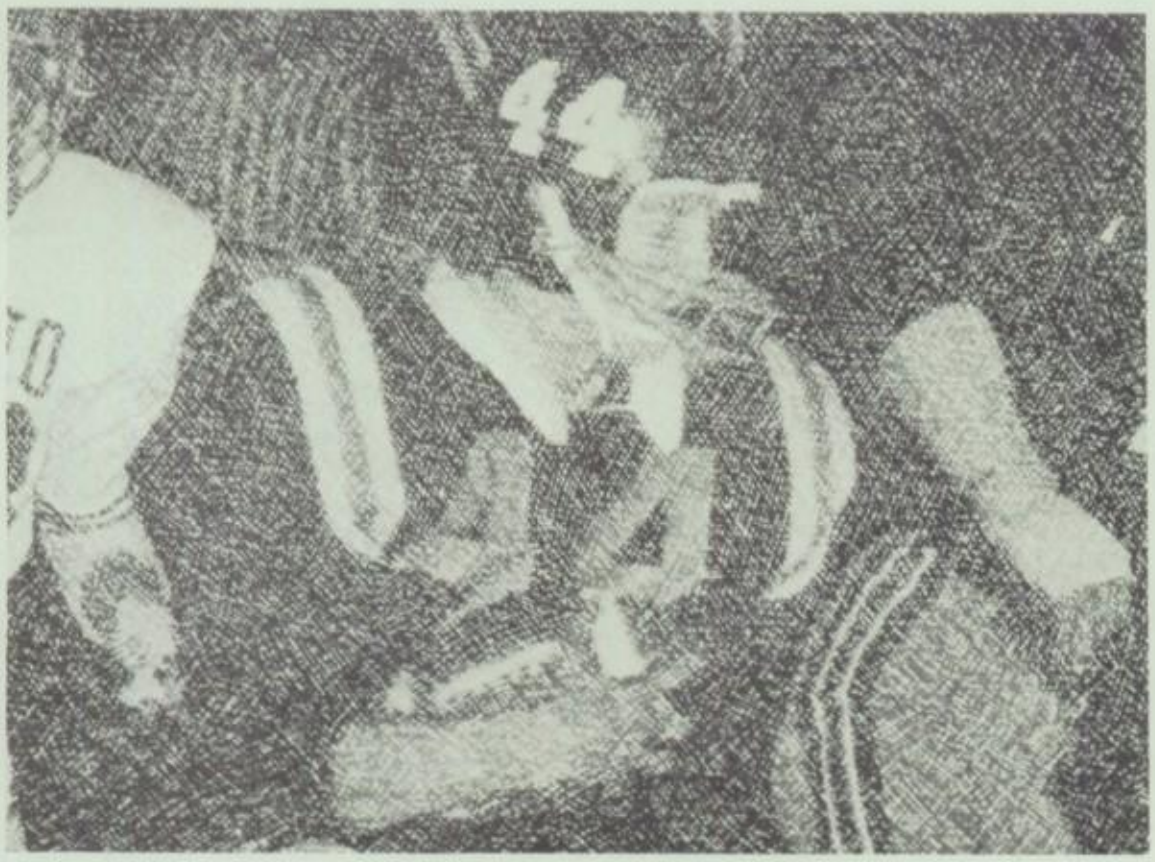
TOP: Grant Jackson and Chris Kurtz help unload the van. ABOVE: Marcia Headley does a fine job for a first year band member. LEFT: Dan Dudeck participates in all aspects of the music program.

# Pep Band Provides Necessary Spirit

This year the Pep Band again displayed their talents by performing at all pep assemblies. Marching in pre-game and half-time shows was part of their routine.

BELOW: Steve Monahan and Ronnie Stephenson enjoy playing "Sound Power". BELOW RIGHT: Pep Band plays for Homecoming assembly. BOTTOM LEFT: Kim Fricke provides the base. BOTTOM RIGHT: Mr. Schenk directs a show between basketball games.

# ENTERTAINERS



# Homecoming Has Bicentennial Twist

South Holt's '75-'76 Homecoming got off to a rolling start Thursday with the traditional parade and pep rally uptown. That night the burning of the effigy and a short snake dance attracted quite a crowd, young and old alike. On Friday afternoon a final pep assembly on the football field helped boost everyone's spirit and prepare them for the night ahead.

Half-time activities were opened with the crowning of the '75-'76 Homecoming queen, Robin O'Connell. Reigning along with her, were attendants Cheryl Buntz and Michealle Baird. The coronation was followed by a fireworks display and the presentation of a Betsy Ross flag to Mayor Don Scheib. The Homecoming festivities were ended with a victory dance following the game.

RIGHT AND CLOCKWISE: Rex Reynolds runs through the victory hoop. School door backs the Knights. Art Club effigy rides in Homecoming parade.

BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: Homecoming queen, Robin O'Connell. Queen candidates ride in Homecoming parade. Mrs. McCollough and Vonda Kurtz present Betsy Ross flag to Mayor Don Scheib. Couples dance after the game.

# Versatile Sound System Is Purchased by School

In a cooperative effort, the student body and the school purchased a multi-purpose sound system to be used for assemblies and dances. After looking around, the administration had Bowman's Music Store bring a sound system to the school and demonstrate it for the student body. Together with the school, the students decided to buy it. All of the organizations that sponsor dances agreed to help pay the expense. The total cost will be paid within a couple years, and the sound system is expected to greatly reduce the financial burden of paying for bands to play at school functions.

ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Dan Dudeck tries out the new sound system as emcee. A KNIM disc jockey plays records at the Sweetheart Dance. A representative from Bowman's Music Store demonstrates the equipment to Mr. Legaard and Mrs. Richards. Ralph Schaeffer and Mark Wohlford, two student council members, display the entire sound system.

# Holidays Are Festive Time

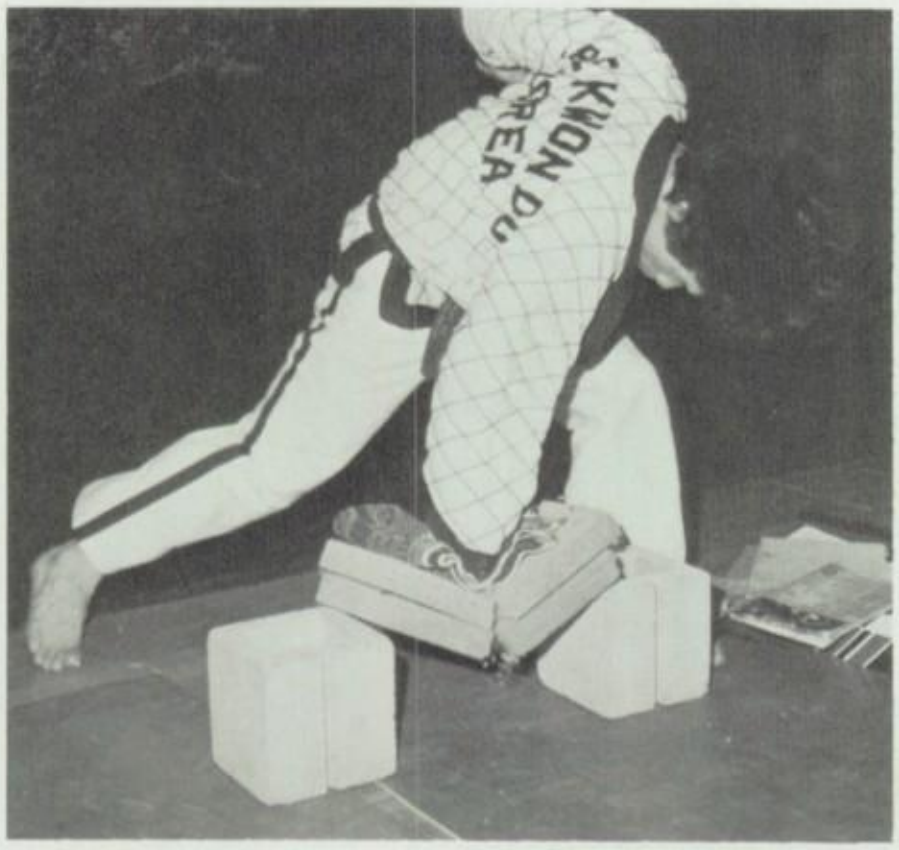
The holiday season at South Holt was ushered in by the Christmas dance held on December 18. The student council sponsored this annual event and a disc jockey from KKJO provided the music. Santa Claus made an appearance during the evening for the traditional gift exchange. During intermission the Home Economics department provided refreshments.

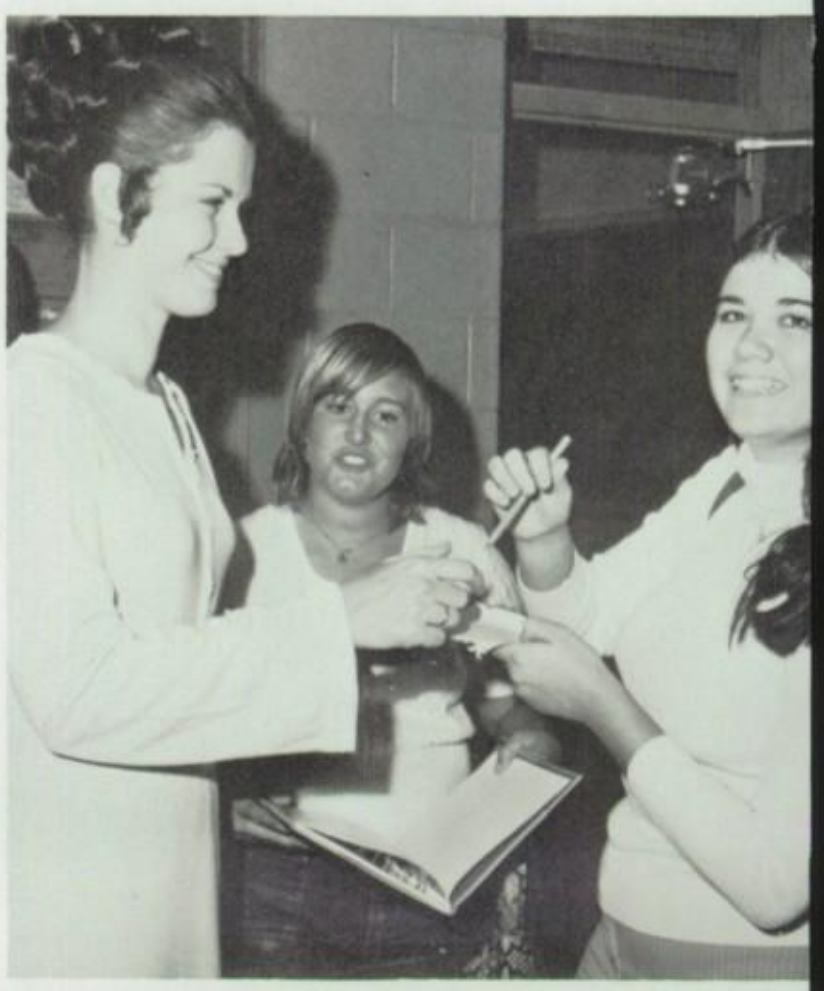
ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Couples dance to the music provided by KKJO. Santa helps Angie McWilliams deliver packages. Kelly Stewart and French Harris get into the swing of things. Tim Headley watches as Cheryl Buntz opens a gaily wrapped package.

# Assemblies Prove Entertaining

Many assemblies provided a variety of entertainment throughout the year. They included a karate demonstration and an English singing group, Tiffany Shades. The students and faculty were also entertained by a jazz band concert and an African missionary besides the annual Thanksgiving, Easter, and Christmas assemblies.

BELOW AND COUNTER-CLOCKWISE: Mr. Chan Kyu Yu demonstrates his ability to bust three cement blocks with his bare hands. The NWMSU Jazz band performs a concert for students. Terry Ramsay introduces guest singer Ted Hunt at the request of Mr. Hunt. Miss U.S.A. of 1968, Debbie Barnes, gives her autograph to Sandy Muscavage.

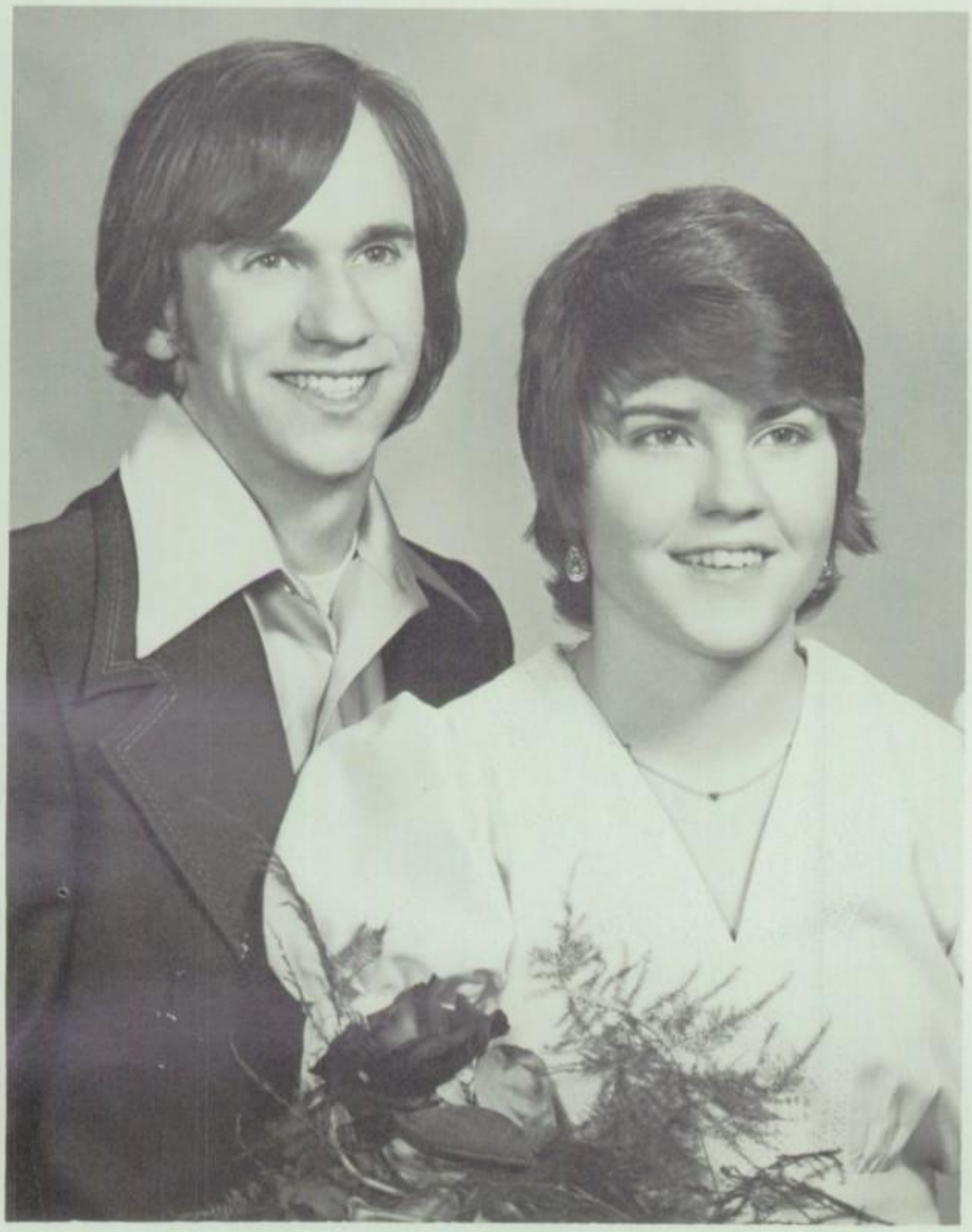


# "A Knight to Remember"

The Future Homemakers of America sponsored their annual Sweetheart Dance on February 19, 1976. Ralph Schaeffer and Janice Kurtz reigned as king and queen. All candidates were nominated by the F.H.A. members and elected by the student body. Music for the evening was provided by a KNIM disc jockey.

BELOW: Michealle Baird and Rex Hunziger make a happy couple. BOTTOM: Sweetheart Royalty left to right–Julie Kurtz, French Harris, Janice Kurtz, Ralph Schaeffer, Vonda Kurtz, Lori Sommers, B.H. Bailey.



# "We May Never Pass This Way Again" Theme for Jr.-Sr. Prom

On April 23, the Frog Hop Ballroom in St. Joseph was the setting for the Jr.-Sr. prom. The junior class had managed to keep the place a secret, so everyone, including some juniors, was surprised. The theme, "We May Never Pass This Way Again", was tied in with the table decorations and on scrolls presented to everyone attending the prom. After a buffet style meal which was catered by Circle W, Mr. Sunderland and Mr. Legaard toasted the seniors. Mr. Dill and Miss Driver, the junior class sponsors, presented class rings to the juniors. Following the program, Liquid Fire played until midnight. The evening closed with a bus ride in the rain.

LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: Liquid Fire's drummer does a vocal number. Mark Buntz, Grant Jackson, Dan Dudeck, and Ron Allen share a table during the meal. Dan Atkins and Robin O'Connell dance to a Chicago tune.

BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: The Frog Hop sign greets everyone going to the prom. Liquid Fire provides dance music for the prom. Vonda Hurst receives her class ring from Mr. Dill, one of the junior class sponsors. Students, faculty, and their guests have a hard time deciding what to eat.

# All School Play Is Monstrous Affair

Would you believe a screaming clock, a corner mummy case, a butler who breaks down, and a pet alligator named Queenie? Well, it's true. They were all parts of the 1976 All School Play, "Boys and Ghouls Together." It was directed by Miss DeAnn Driver. The student director was Michealle Baird.

The play was about a group of youths who were bicycling across Europe and stayed at hostels along the way. The Dracula castle proved to be as weird as the name implied. The kids didn't know it, but the only reason the Draculas had invited them was in hopes they could find an American for their daughter Dirga to marry. The only problem was that the boy they chose was already engaged. Trying to get him to change his mind and marry Dirga was not as easy as the Draculas expected. But in the end, everything seemed to work out and the hostelers all left in one piece.

BELOW COUNTERCLOCKWISE: Model S (Dan Dudeck) peeks out the dungeon door. Eddie Phelps (Ralph Schaeffer) and Fritzi Washburn (Angie McWilliams) discuss their strange hosts. The hostelers are confused and even a bit frightened by their weird surroundings. Barb (Vonda Kurtz) is gagged and taken to be locked with the wolves. Letha (Cheryl Buntz) looks in on the Count (Jim Pierson) who is having a little trance.

LEFT COUNTERCLOCKWISE: Barbara (Vonda Kurtz) has just been through the ordeal of her life and all Granny (Emily Field) can do is cackle. Frau Hubschmidt (Kim Fricke) tells Letha (Cheryl Buntz) that she will not deliver mail to the castle twice in one day. Buddy Ford (Ron Allen) and Dirga (Ruth Dudeck) are about to look at the Dracula Family album. Model S (Dan Dudeck) takes an order to carry Barb to the dungeon. Strangle-embracing is only one of the many strange things the Draculas do.

# Class Day Recognizes Special Students

TOP AND CLOCKWISE: Miss Driver presents Vonda Kurtz with the Outstanding Drama Award. Robin O'Connell receives the Most Valuable Girl Basketball Player Award. Mrs. McCollough awards Julie Kurtz the Home Ec. Award. Mr. Gillispie honors Roderick Dryden with the D.A.R. Citizenship Award.

BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: Marcia Headley is chosen as the Best Girl Basketball Player. Vonda Kurtz and Carry Sweaney read the coverage of the Senior Trip. Terresa Milne presents Student Body president-elect Ben Markt with the gavel. Cheryl Buntz receives the South Holt Citizenship Award.

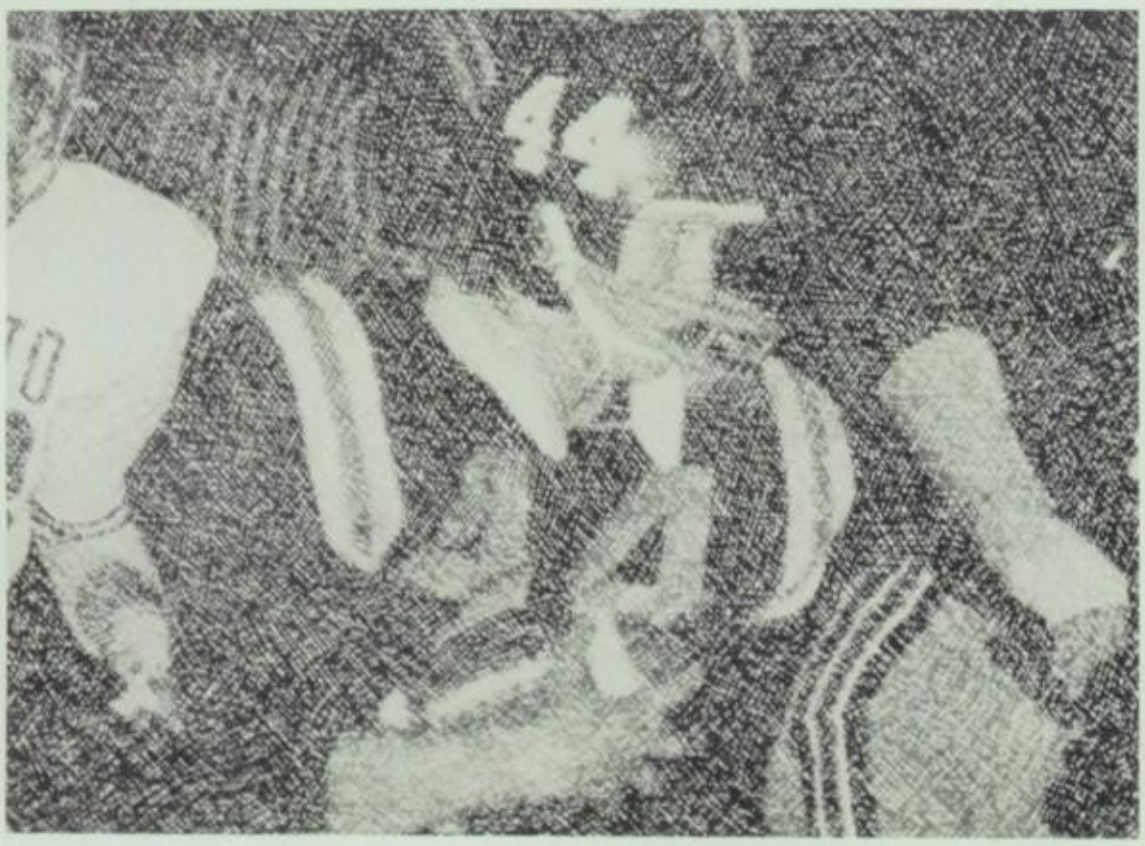
The Class Day activities held on May 18th summed up the 1975-76 school term. Many presentations were made along with the reading of the Senior Class History and Trip Summary. Those receiving awards are as follows; All-Around Student, Vonda Kurtz; Citizenship Cheryl Buntz; D.A.R. Citizenship, Roderick Dryden and Carry Sweaney; Outstanding History Student, John Costello; Betty Crocker Award, Cheryl Buntz; FHA Recognition, Vonda Kurtz; Journalism, Vonda Kurtz; Acting, Ralph Schaeffer and Emily Field; Drama, Vonda Kurtz; Vocal Music, Michealle Baird and Dan Atkins; Pep Club, Vonda Kurtz; Football, Dan Atkins (offense), Rex Reynolds (defense), Dave Scroggins (hustle); Track, Kim Quick and Ben Markt; Basketball, Kim Wedekind and Robin O'Connell, Mark Buntz and Sharon Brock (hustle), Marcia Headley and Mark Wohlford (best athletes); All-Around Musician, Ruth Dudeck; Instrumental Music, Cheryl Buntz and Mark Wohlford; Wrestling, Eugene Uehlin, Jim Stein (hustle); Art, Risa Dodge; Home Economics, Julie Kurtz.

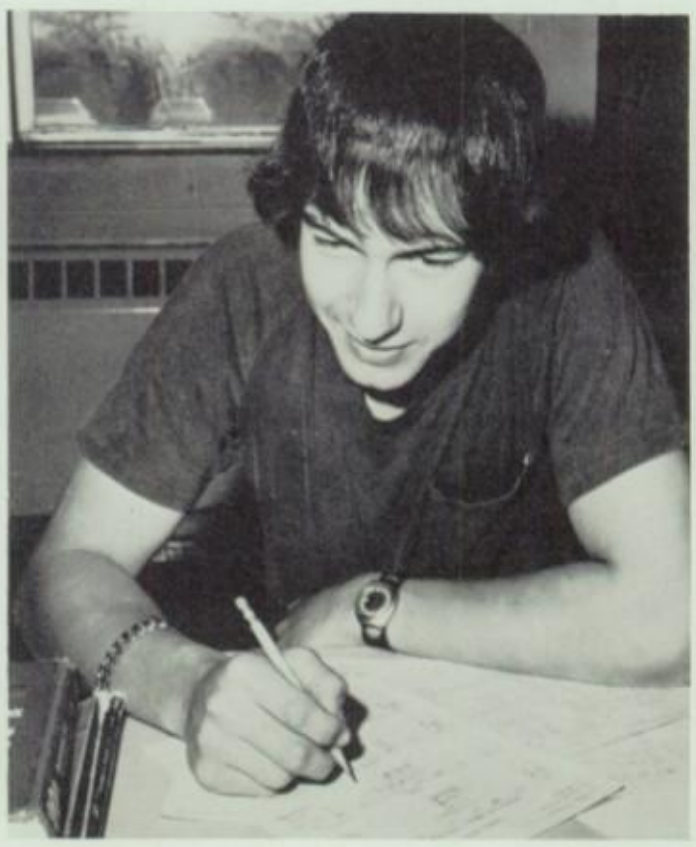
# South Holt Hosts Career Day

Several area high school seniors met at South Holt for their annual career day held on October 28, 1975. There were many college and vocational representatives present. The students attended sessions given by the three representatives of their choice. The program was coordinated by South Holt's guidance counselor, Mr. Gene Dill.

BELOW AND COUNTER-CLOCKWISE: Mr. Dill briefs the guides for career day; Robin Hall, Kelly Stewart, Lora Kunkel, Tracy Stewart, Angie McWilliams, and Christy Turner. The representative from Methodist Medical Center informs the students about their nursing program. Mr. Dill explains the purpose of career day and what the students are supposed to do. Seniors listen to a session by the Missouri University representative.

# INDIVIDUALS





# Freshmen Adjust To Busy Schedules

Rob Baird
President

Terry Anderson
Vice-President

Diane Harris
Secretary

Tammy Polaski
Treasurer

John Kurtz
Reporter

Adjusting schedules, settling down to new routines, and trying to find time to study were common problems for the freshmen at the beginning of the year. Gradually they gained a bit of confidence, joined organizations, went out for sports, and voiced their opinions in things that concerned them. They elected two of their class members, Mike Noellsch and Deborah Allen, to the Student Council, where they experienced student government first hand.

Mike Noellsch

Deborah Allen

Kevin Atkins

Karla Kurtz

Leslie Whisler

Ramond Reynolds

Larry Grimes

Deborah Burger

Phillip Muscavage

Loria Greene

Eugene Kanatzar

Sheldon Bender

Lola Dozier

Rick Roecker

Not pictured:
Terry Cross

OPPOSITE PAGE BOTTOM: No, they're not from outer space, it's only the girls from a freshman Home Ec. class experimenting with facials. TOP: Tony Elder tries to make his measurements exact. THIS PAGE TOP: Sheldon Bender takes advantage of a break during pep assembly. ABOVE: Deborah Allen and Tammy Polaski participate in Pep Club initiation.

BELOW: Foreign exchange student, Ricardo Neto, takes many freshman classes. BOTTOM: Mike Noellsch, Steve Swoboda, Dominic Lewis, and Darwin Burton vote in an election.

Clint Webber

Matt Benedict

Rowdy Moore

Kimberly Quick

Katie Moore

Bobby Patterson

Darwin Burton

Linda Perry

Dominic Lewis

David Carmean

Suzanne Kurtz

Tony Elder

Mark Plummer

Mike Hughes

# Freshmen Benefit From Government Day

Lora Matthews

Eddie Woolsey

John Costello

Steve Swoboda

Anthony Hurst

Brenda Burrier

Not pictured:
Nick Darst
Terry Cross

After several weeks of work and preparation, the Freshman class attended County Government Day. Members of the class first formed two political parties, which nominated candidates for various offices. A mock election with the entire student body participating was held to select which candidate would hold office for the day. A program concluded the day's activities. Richard Buntz gave a history of the courthouse, then the College Prep English class gave a summary of the information found while working on their history research project.

# Sophomores Show Participation

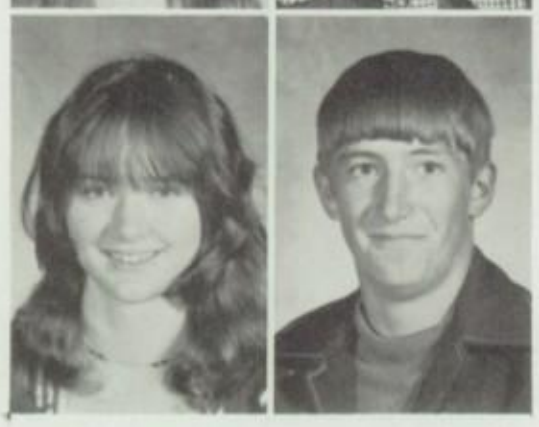
Chyre Polsgrove
President

Jim Kanatzar
Vice President

Becky Lewis
Secretary

Tracy Stewart
Treasurer

Ruth Dudeck
Reporter



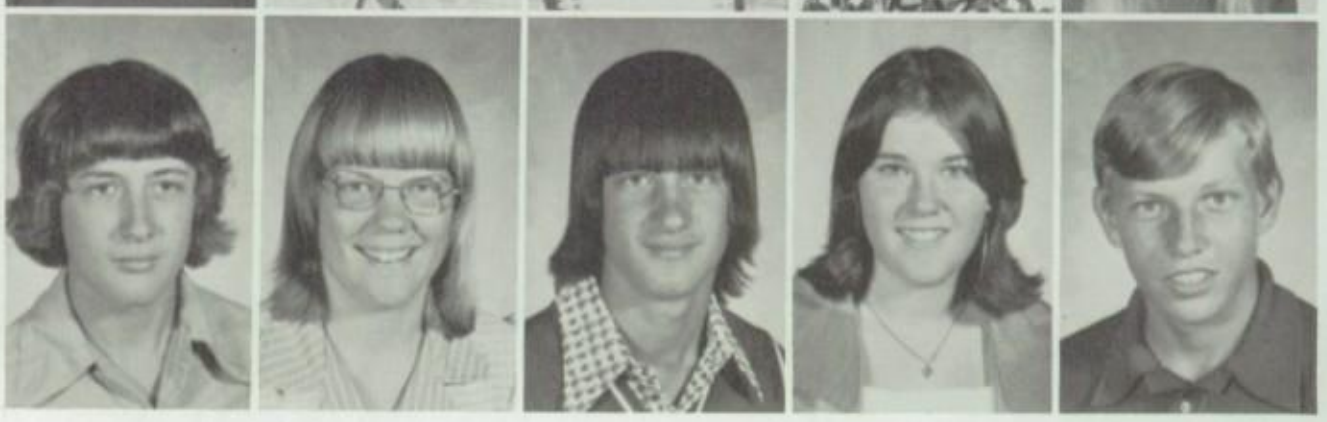
Judy Markt
Student Council

David Kurtz
Student Council

The sophomore class got started early in preparing for their upcoming Junior-Senior Prom. They sponsored several concession stands throughout the year with the help of their sponsors, Mr. Buntz and Mr. Carter.

One of the major highlights of the sophomore year is the choosing of probationary members to the National Honor Society. This year those selected were: Jim Pierson, Chyre Polsgrove, Tracy Stewart, Vickie Stroud, Ruth Dudeck, David Kurtz, Jim Kanatzar, Laura Baird, Carol Mullins, Judy Markt, Carol Schieb, and Dewayne Roecker.

Larry Crider
Jim Noellsch
Kathy Monahan
Roger Brock
Vicky Stroud



Bill Montague
Carol Scheib
Mike Brock
Betty Muscavage
Richard Mendenhall

Jeff Schaeffer

David Stansbury

Laura Baird

Shannon Bender

Barry Kee

Jim Pierson

Scott Steward

Sherri Meyer

David Hurst

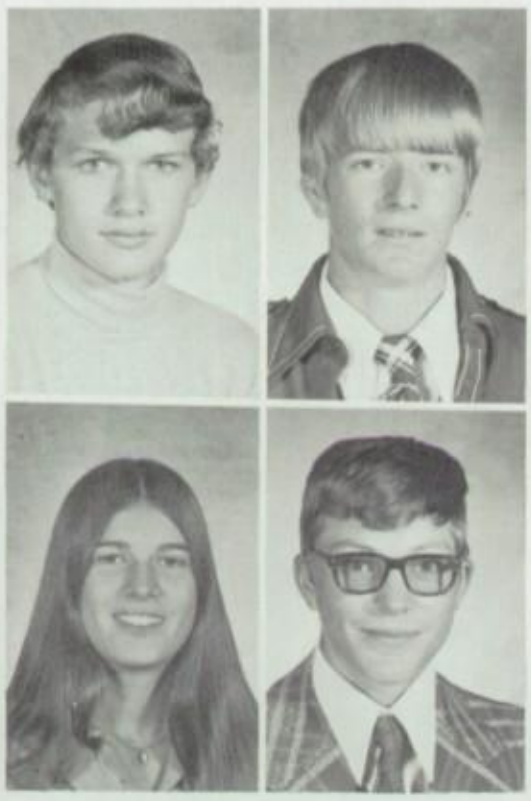
Kenneth Paxton

ABOVE AND CLOCKWISE: Kathy Monahan, using her cooking abilities, bakes a cake for a foods class. Roger Brock and Jim Noellsch try their hand at disecting a crayfish. The sophomores innerpersonality could be seen as they performed at Speech Night 1976.

Not pictured: Dennis Gladman
Ricardo Neto

# Sophomores Take Advantage of Leisure Time

After having survived their freshmen year, the sophmores returned in the fall ready to become an active part of the student body. Whether in sports, studies, or organizations they participated whole-heartedly. Each year four students from the sophomore class are chosen to go on the Sophomore Pilgrimage to Jefferson City. This year's delegates were Ruth Dudeck, Vickie Stroud, Chirs Kurtz, and Jim Pierson.



Dwayne Roecker

Bill Kephart

Angie Delp

Ed Hunziger

TOP AND CLOCKWISE: Richard Mendenhall uses his power of concentration in a game of ping pong. Getting into her locker and dropping books seems to be a problem for Carol Schieb. Sophomores can be found at anytime of the day roaming the halls.

Russell Guyer

Terry Ramsay

Roger Knapp

Danny Burton

Sheila Perry

Bob Burton

Chris Kurtz

Carol Mullins

TOP AND CLOCKWISE: Sophomores receive instructions from their drivers ed. teacher. Jeff Schaeffer and Kenneth Paxton are eating a spaghetti supper prepared by some of the pep club members. Sophomore members of Honor Society look forward for their first trip to Kansas City. Becky Lewis is caught going down the hall with an arm load of books.

# Juniors Show Enthusiasm As Upperclassmen

The Junior class had a very exciting and busy year. They ran the concession stand at all the football games, held a pop bottle drive, sold cards and held a bake sale to raise money for the Junior-Senior Prom. They selected their class rings which they received at the prom. They took part in many activities and proved to be very enthusiastic in all of them.

Lora Kunkel
President
Mark Buntz
Vice-President
Sharon Brock
Secretary

Rex Hunziger
Treasurer
Angie McWilliams
Student Council
Dan Dudeck
Student Council

John Hall

Scott Scheib

Kelly Stewart

BELOW AND CLOCKWISE: Kim Wedekind and Rex Hunziger look at the selection of class rings. Kelly Stewart, Denise Kurtz and Penny Roberts put in a little extra practice. Scott Scheib and Mark Buntz enjoy a few minutes of leisure after a basketball practice. Emily Field works in a concession stand.

Ben Markt

Penny Roberts

Pat Gordon

Denise Kurtz

Patty Benedict

# Participation Is Important to Juniors

Robin Hall

Carrie Cline

Vonda Hurst

Blake Plummer

Grant Jackson

Christy Turner

Joni Harvill

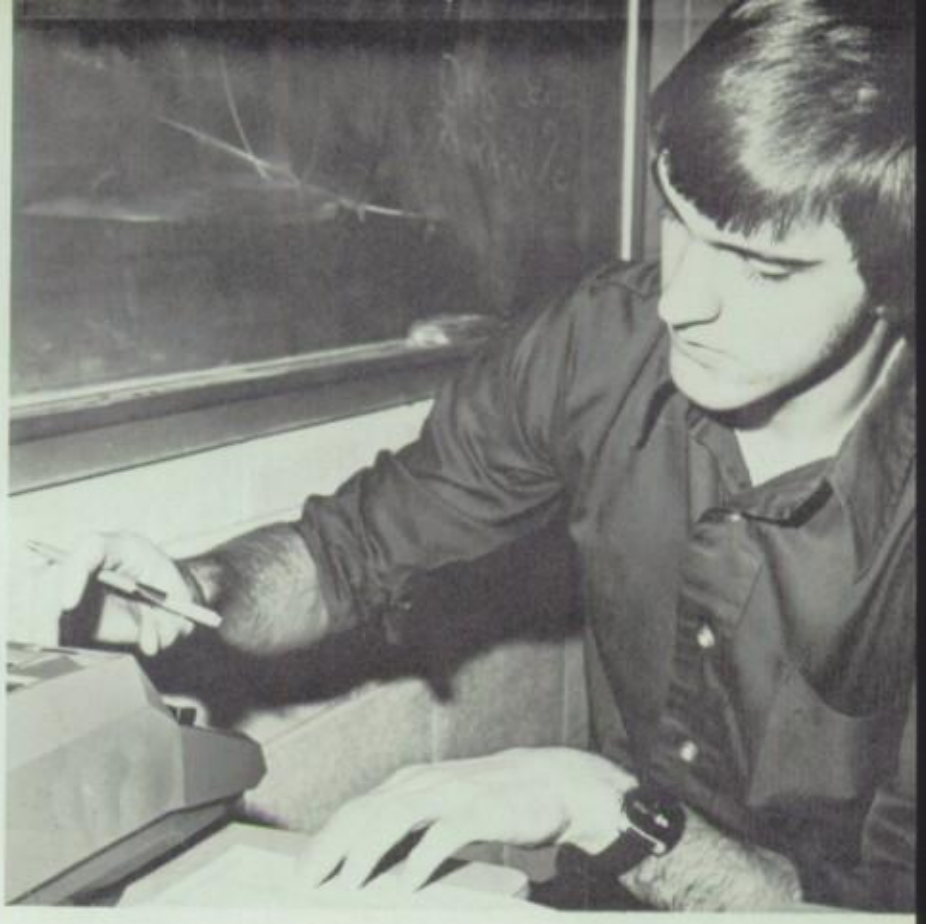
John Delp

Kim Wedekind

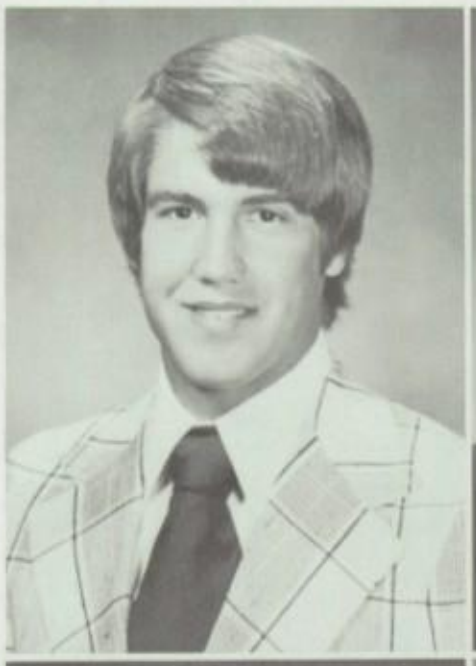
Emily Field

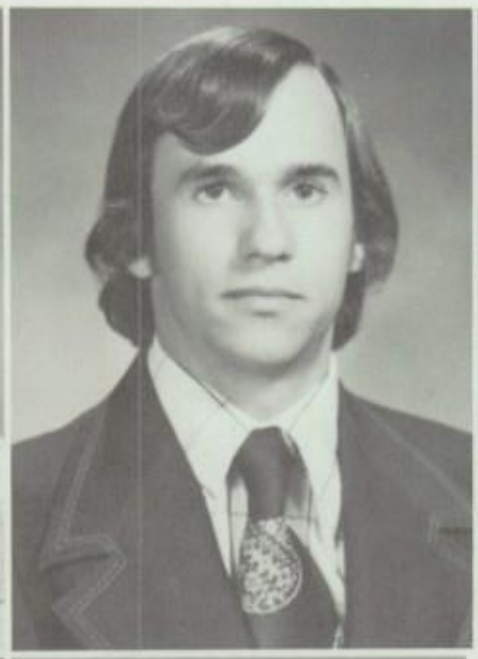
Steve Monahan

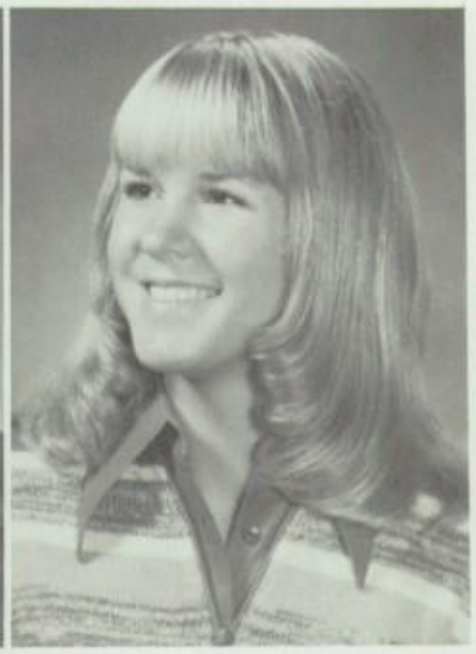
Not pictured: Jeff Burger
Tammy Cross



LEFT AND CLOCKWISE: Robin Hall and Sharon Brock sign up to show they are "with the Knights". Ben Markt sands his project while working in shop. Vonda Hurst and Lora Kunkel practice on their music for the concert. Pat Gordon uses his time wisely as he works on a bookkeeping assignment. Dan Dudeck is a frightful sight as Model S in the all school play.







Mark Wohlford
Student Body Pres.

Ralph Schaeffer
Student Council

Terresa Milne
Student Coun. Treas.

Vonda Kurtz
President

B.J. Bailey
Vice-President

Carry Sweaney
Treasurer

Cheryl Buntz
Secretary

LEFT: Carry Sweaney, B.J. Bailey, Cheryl Buntz, and Vonda Kurtz, senior class officers, discuss one of their class meetings.

# Seniors Are Involved In Student Government

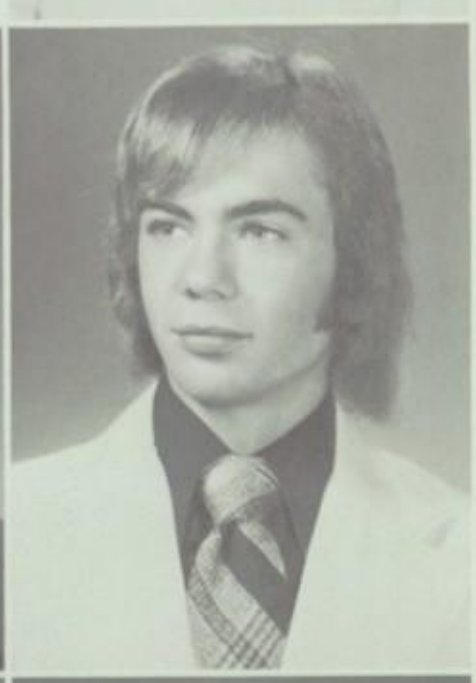
This year three seniors, Mark Wohlford, Ralph Schaeffer, and Terresa Milne, were elected to positions on the Student Council. As upperclassmen they held the most influential positions. Mark served as student body president. Besides president over student council meetings, he had the responsibility of introducing speakers at assemblies and making sure the student lounge ran efficiently. All three seniors were involved in making many decisions that affected the entire student body.

ABOVE: Senior student council members run the election for next year's student body officers. LEFT: Mark Wohlford checks the change in the pop machine in the student lounge.

Janie Moore

Jim Montague

Bill Williams



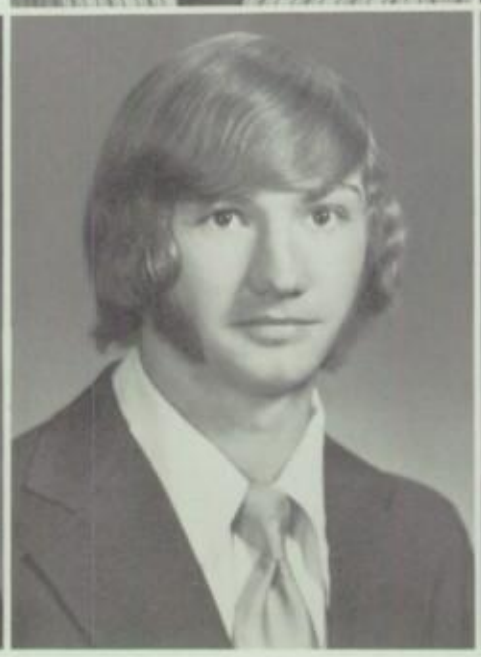
Charles Plummer

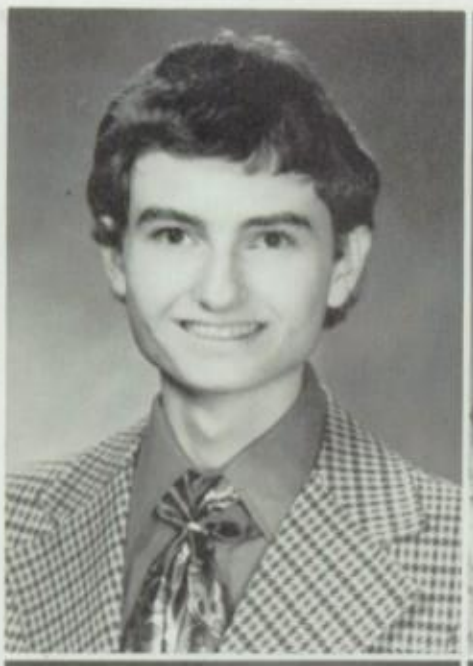
Rosemary Gordon

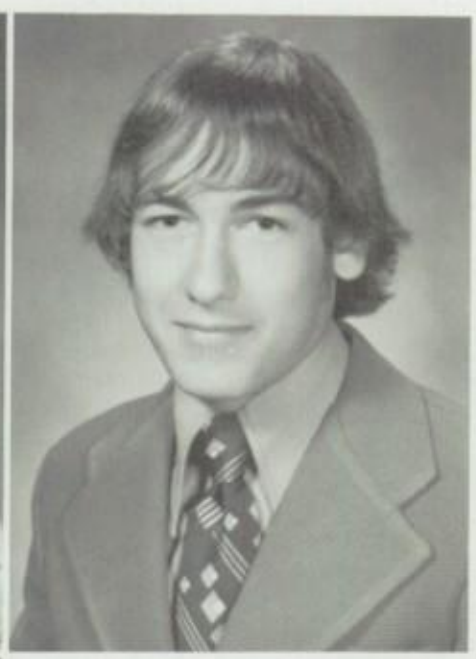
Ed Brown

Robin Knapp

Diane Meng







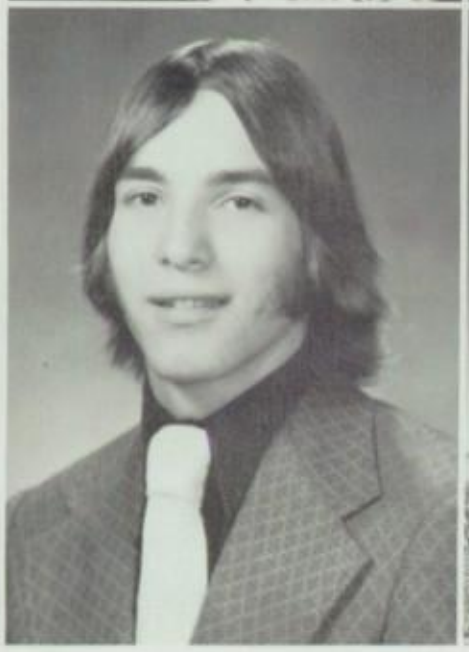
Roderick Dryden

Roseann Egbert
(first semester)

David Scroggins

Sandy Muscavage

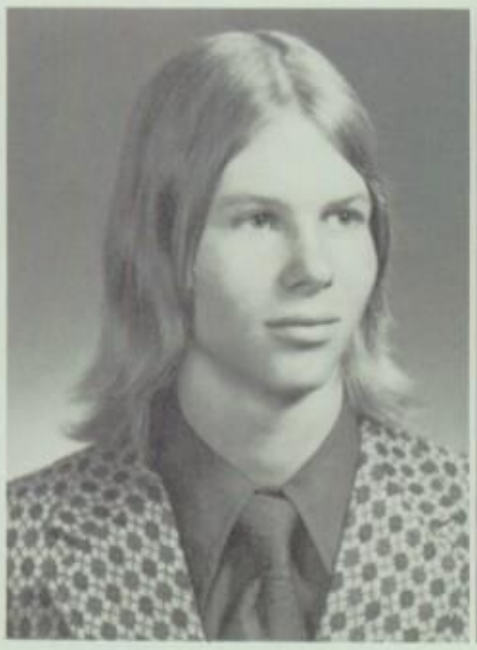
Ron Allen



Bill Slusher

Sharon Rayhill

ABOVE RIGHT: Ralph Schaeffer, Emmett Stiernagle, and Bill Slusher dig into the pie eating contest at Spirit of '76 Night. RIGHT: B.J. Bailey and Mark Wohlford practice their cooking skills in bachelor living class.



Terry Roberts

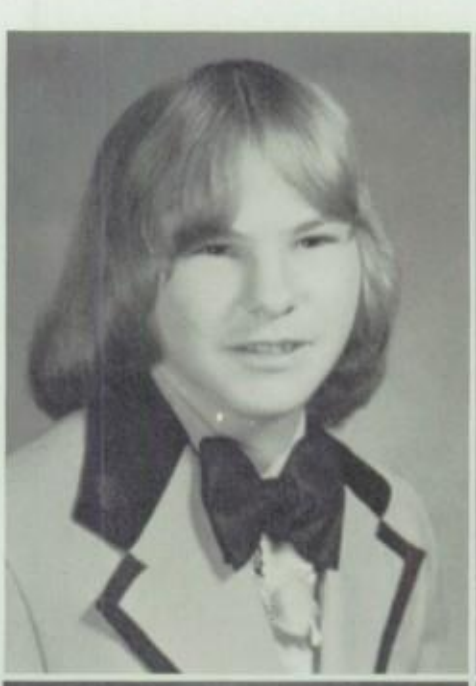
Karen Brock

Jim Stein

Kim Fricke

# Activities Keep Seniors Busy

Besides the usual activities; the seniors found their last year was filled with many new events. To raise money the seniors held a chili supper and worked in concession stands. Perhaps the most successful project was the Spirit of '76 Night. The seniors and faculty members competed against each other in volleyball, scooter races, potato races, and apple dunking. The grand finale was a pie throwing contest in which several of the faculty members were hit in the face with pies.



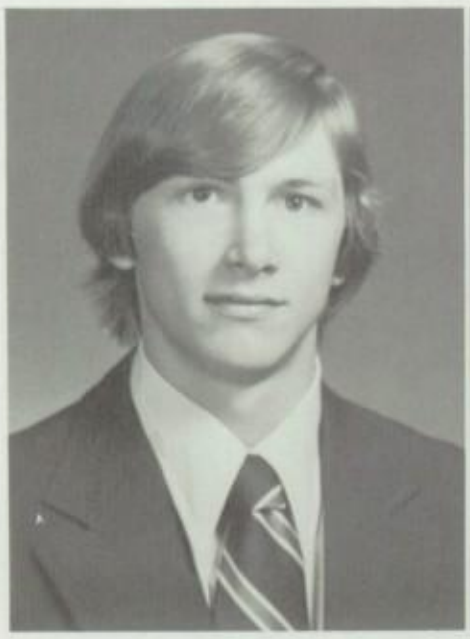
David Bomar

Rex Reynolds

Shirley Noland

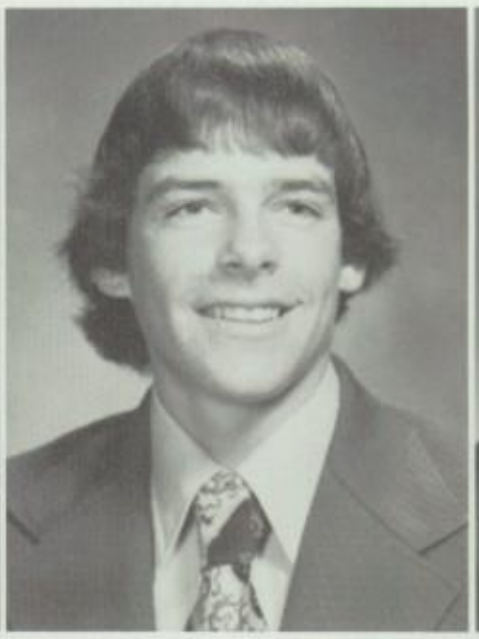
Dan Atkins

Risa Dodge



Mark Meyer

Marcia Headley ley



Terry Kee

Terri Munyon

# Seniors Spend Last Moments Together

The school year of 1975-76 drew swiftly to a close for the seniors. Their last few weeks were filled with many memorable events. Together they voted on their gift to the school—a glass encased bulletin board, planned a Bicentennial graduation, spent 24 hours together on the senior trip, and ate at the senior breakfast. All of these were signs that their remaining school days at South Holt were few indeed. By capturing on film a few of these precious moments we hope to preserve forever the spirit of the Seniors of '76.

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Julie Kurtz

Ron Stephenson

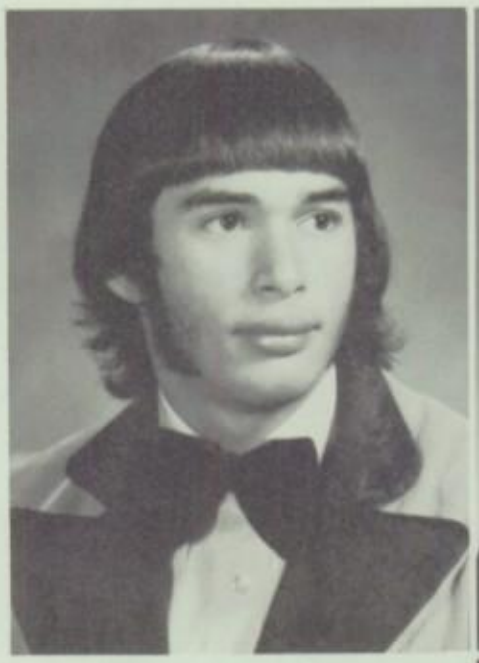
Janice Kurtz

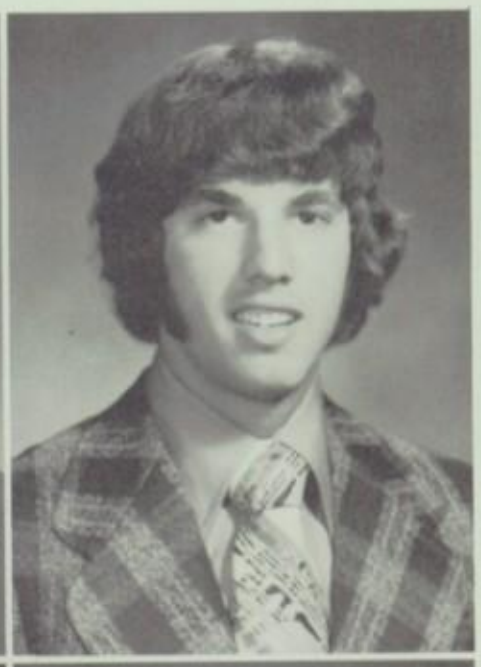
Eugene Uehlin

Emmett Stiernagle

Agnes Daise

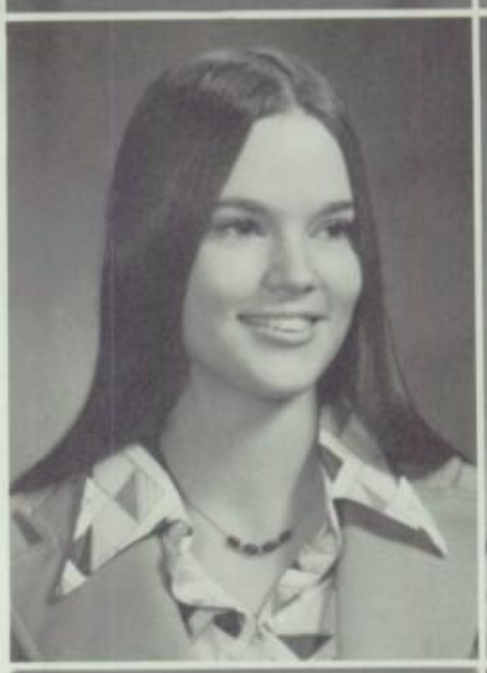
French Harris





Michealle Baird

Winona Grimes



Tammy Tammy Huffer

Robin Robin O'Connell

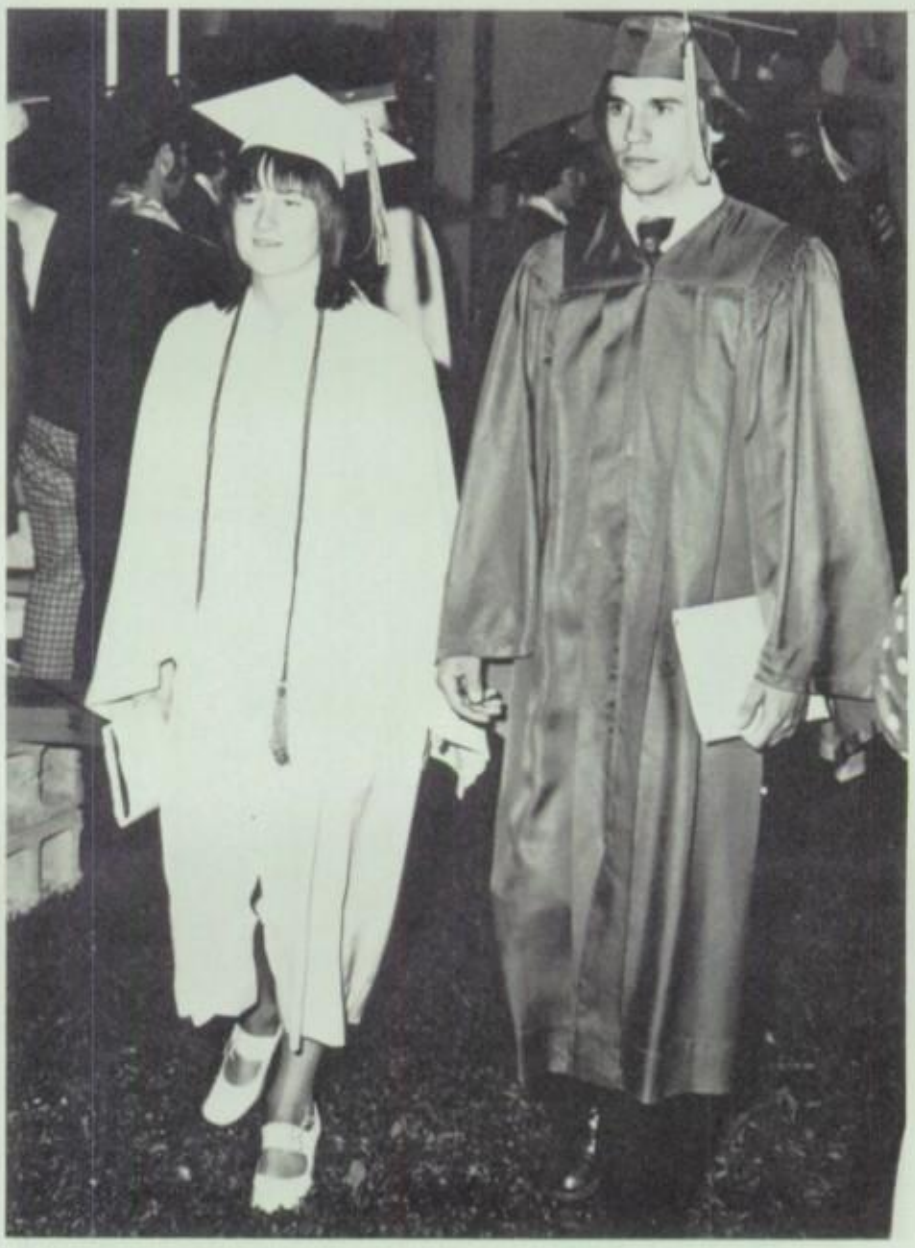
LEFT: Winona Grimes, Sharon Rayhill, and Julie Kurtz eat together at the senior breakfast the morning of commencement. LEFT AND ABOVE: Seniors wait to go on their overnight trip to the Truman Library, Independence Center, and Worlds of Fun.

ABOVE CLOCKWISE: Terry Kee accepts his diploma from Mrs. Kurtz. Julie receives her diploma from her mother, Mrs. Nelson Kurtz. The girls' trio provides a special music. Seniors listen intently. U.S. Congressman Jerry Litton addresses the graduating class.

# Seniors Work Together to Make Graduation Special

On May 13, 1976, forty-six seniors received their diplomas in a combined Baccalaureate-Commencement ceremony which was held in the courtyard in Oregon. This special ceremony was the result of a lot of hard work and planning, some in class meetings and some by individuals. The Seniors really pulled together and worked hard to make their graduation something extra-special.

Colors were posted by the Bicentennial Unit of the Missouri Air National Guard. Rev. Mike Nickols gave the Baccalaureate address. The girls' trio (Robin O'Connell, Michealle Baird, Terresa Milne) and a flute solo by Julie Kurtz provided special music. To make the evening even more memorable, U. S. Congressman (Mo. sixth district), Jerry Litton gave the main address. The ceremony was closed with the colors being retired and Kenneth Paxton playing taps.



LEFT: Class president Vonda Kurtz speaks on behalf of the seniors.
BELOW: Mr. Legaard presents the special awards and scholarships.
ABOVE: Karen Brock and Ralph Schaeffer depart with diplomas in hand.

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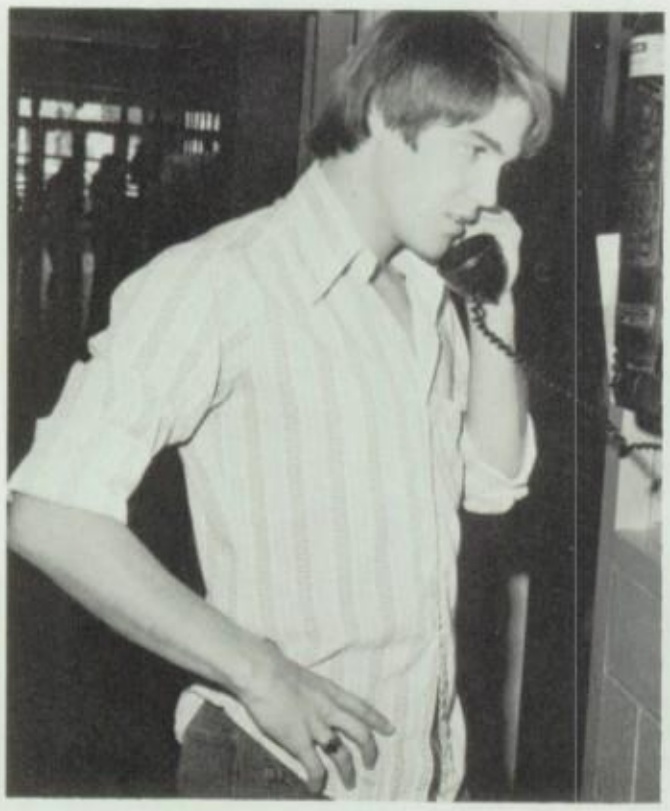

As the 1975-76 school year comes to a close, many of the things that were a part of our lives this year, the ro tines, the teachers, the classmates and friends, will soon b only memories. People who are now a vital part of us will soon be all but forgotten. Everyone that we've met or encountered this year has influenced us, changed us in some way, even though it may seem small and insignificant now. We hope to have recorded a few of these cherished moments, for the changes experienced in the past year will guide the destiny of our future.

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